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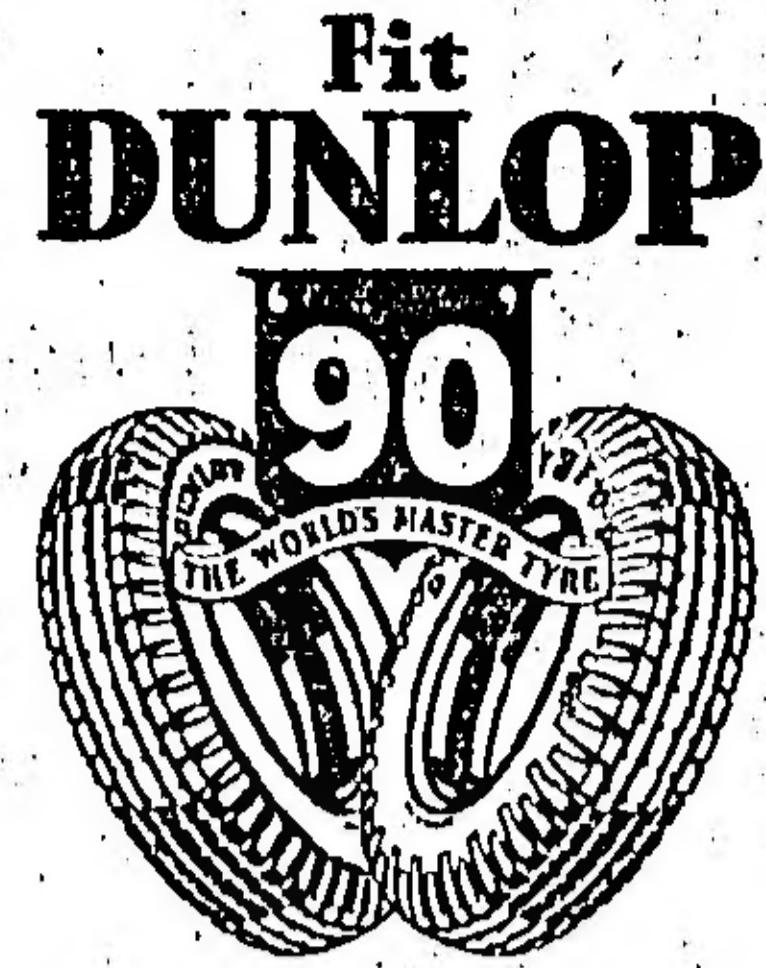
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### CANTON PUBLIC WORKS SCHEME

#### MALCOLM & CO. BID ACCEPTED

The *Telegraph's* Canton correspondent learns that a final agreement has now been reached between the British firm of Messrs. Malcolm & Co., Ltd., of Shanghai and Hongkong, and His Excellency Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, Mayor of Canton, for the construction of a water filtration plant to supply the city of Canton, at a cost of nearly three million Hongkong dollars.

Negotiations have been proceeding for some time, and all technical and financial details have now been settled and work will be started in the immediate future. The plant will be the most modern in the Far East and will comprise a battery of 12 filters, capable of supplying 30,000,000 Imperial gallons per day of 24 hours of clear sterile water, thereby bringing Canton into line with big modern cities.

Due to the increase of population and the expansion of the city limits, the Municipal Authorities for some years have been hard pressed to maintain an adequate supply of water.

The widening of streets and modernising of the city have meant unavoidable delays in forming a definite programme of expansion, but plans are now completed, and when the new plant is put into operation, the city will have overcome a long-standing desire on the part of the authorities to cope with the needs of China's most important Southern city.

The new unit will be complete in every detail from pumping room with river source of supply, to powerful pumping sets, continuous settling tanks, filters, adequate clear water storage to meet sudden excessive demands, and in addition a 3½ million Imperial gallon storage reservoir will be erected within the city limits.

Canton is fortunate in being most favourably situated from a waterworks point-of-view. The city is built on comparatively flat land and at the same time possesses hills adjacent to the building centre, on which the large storage reservoir will be constructed. The ultimate use has been made of this hill in the scheme adopted by the engineers, so that a steady pressure and a large volume of water will be available to reach to the top of the high buildings in the city.

In less fortunate cities, where comparatively small elevated storage can (Continued on Page 7)

## Loyalists Reported Seeking Armistice

### REBELS EXPECT TO STRIKE AT VALENCIA NEXT

### HEAVY FIGHTING STILL RAGING AROUND MADRID

(Special to "Telegraph")

With the Rebels at Malaga, Feb. 11.

Rumours are current here that Loyalists are seeking an armistice. General Francisco Franco, the rebel commander-in-chief, insists upon unconditional surrender, however, as the price of the cessation of hostilities.

Reports from other quarters, under Leftist influence, indicate that the Government is determined to fight to a finish.

Meanwhile, Nationalists assert that 4,000 Leftists have been arrested thus far in the Malaga drive alone. It is estimated that eventually between 10,000 and 20,000 will be taken into custody.

The Rightist warships are said to have bottled-up the Leftist fleet at Cartagena and Valencia.

It is learned that General Del Lano, following military trials, ordered the execution before firing squad of more than 150 Loyalist leaders, including the former President of the Leftist C.N.T. Party, Señor Santana Calero, and the Mayor of Malaga, Señor Entrama Sagasta, as well as many army officers.

His headquarters predicts that insurgent troops will be attacking Valencia within a week. Presumably, the attack would be carried out from the sea, possibly with the assistance of aircraft. Valencia is the new capital of the Leftist Government.

It is reported here that General Franco's troops are preparing for a large-scale offensive on the north sectors of the Madrid front, and that they are concentrating troops in the Casa de Campo area, presumably for an onslaught there. The Leftist artillery is bombing the northern and Casa de Campo sectors in an effort to disperse the concentrations, and meanwhile is resisting fiercely the insurgent thrusts through the University City area.—United Press.

### Propagandists Not Wanted In Malta

#### CIVIL SERVANTS DISCHARGED

London, Feb. 10. The sensational dismissal of two officials at Malta, on an allegation of conduct prejudicial to British interests, is revealed in a Colonial Office announcement.

Professor Carlo Mallia, Professor of Commercial Law in the University of Malta, and Vincent Bonello, Curator of the Arts Section and Works of Art in the Fine Arts Museum at Valletta, are the two officials concerned.

These two officials have been informed that the King has no further use for their services, because, in the opinion of the Governor, they have acted prejudicially to British interests in Malta and in a manner improper for officers of the Civil Service.

It is understood that there will be no public enquiry.—Reuter.

#### NO SURPRISE

Malta, Feb. 10. The dismissal of the two officials has caused no surprise here, both men being noted for their connection with an Italian propaganda organisation which was suppressed in Malta a year ago.—Reuter.

## H.K. Wins Rugby Interport

### OVERWHELMED SHANGHAI BY 14 POINTS TO 3

Shanghai, February 11. Hongkong's Interport rugger fifteen triumphed over Shanghai to-day, 14-3, after a brilliant performance.

On an ideal ground, Shanghai opened with a rush and for the first ten minutes completely dominated play. However, in the Colony's first rush into enemy territory, at the fifteenth minute, Grieve made an opening by cutting through and passing to Chadwick, who dodged the last defender and slithered across the goal line at the flag. Watson failed to convert, hitting the post.

Shanghai, still full of fight, equalised through D. H. Stewart in the twenty-fifth minute, but Blackwood did not add points.

After thirty-three minutes of play, Watson scored on a reverse pass from Chadwick. The try was not converted.

At half-time the score was 6-3.

**HONGKONG AGGRESSIVE.**

With the resumption, Hongkong was even more aggressive than formerly. Bidwell was outstanding, making several long runs. However, it was not before twenty-five minutes of fast, hard, open play that Deane broke through the defence and enabled Walkden to score in the corner. Watson did not convert.

In the final minute of the game, Bidwell capped a splendid performance with a zig-zagging run through a broken field, and scored between the posts. Watson converted.

The Government announced that rebels bombed Alcalde-Ibarra, 20 miles north-east of Madrid, hitting a hospital and killing two nurses and five children in the area. The same bombardment four persons were killed at various other points (Continued on Page 4).

### GRANT TO WINDSOR OPPOSED

#### LABOUR TAKING STRONG STAND

London, Feb. 11.

The Labour Opposition in Parliament to-day decided to oppose any separate grant to the Duke of Windsor when the Civil List comes up for consideration in the House of Commons.

Ordinarily, this decision would present no great difficulty, as the King, who controls the revenues of the Duchy of Cornwall and the Duchy of Lancaster, could himself transfer part of these revenues to the Duke.

The Opposition, however, has taken up the proposal that the revenues from the Dukies should no longer be at the King's disposal, but should be transferred to the Treasury in return for a fixed grant. Thus, if the King wished to make a personal grant to the Duke of Windsor, he would have to make it from such lump sum as Parliament decides to allow him.

It is generally assumed that the Labourites' view regarding no separate grant to the Duke, which is supported by the Opposition Liberals and some Conservatives, will be adopted, and that there will be no mention of the Duke when the recommendation for the appointment of a small party committee to consider provision for the Civil List comes before the House of Commons.

The question of the revenues from the Duchies of Cornwall and Lancaster is more open. Should Labour's suggestion be accepted, it seems probable that neither the Labour nor the Liberal Opposition will object to a total grant to the Royal Family, which would enable a private grant being made by the King to the Duke of Windsor.—Reuter Special.

### MOTOR STRIKE ENDED

#### Company Raises Salaries

#### EMPLOYEES SATISFIED

Detroit, Feb. 11.

The strike in 20 factories of motor car manufacturing centres in the United States is about to be terminated. Representatives of the General Motors Corporation and of the Committee of Industrial Organisation have reached an agreement.

The official terms of the settlement are reported to include the Corporation's recognition of the C.I.O. as a collective bargaining agency for its own members. In return, the workers agree to end the strike, evacuating all plants.

The Corporation promises to resume the operation of all strike-bound or idle plants as soon as possible, and all employees are to work without discrimination against strikers.

The C.I.O. agrees that pending negotiations there will be no further strikes or interference with production.

The Corporation, in a statement, announces the increase of workers' wages by \$25,000,000 annually. This is entailed by the raising of the average wage by six per cent., the increases to become effective immediately in plants now open and in others as they open.

Mr. John Davis, C.I.O. chief, commenting on the settlement, said today that established for the first time a rational relationship in the automobile industry. He estimated that the strike had cost General Motors' employees \$1,000,000 a day in wages.—Reuter.

#### SETTLEMENT TERMS

New York, Feb. 11. The terms of the motor strike settlement are understood to be:

1. That the United Automobile Workers (associated with the C.I.O.) evacuate the three factories at present held by sit-down strikers;

2. That General Motors Corporation won't seek the enforcement of the injunction obtained against the officials and sit-down strikers;

3. That in the 20 factories closed by strikers the Corporation agrees not to bargain with any other group until an agreement is reached with the U.A.W. on wages, hours and working conditions;

4. That in the remaining 49 factories the U.A.W. shall represent only its own members;

5. That the wages and hours reforms and other demands of the U.A.W. shall be negotiated at a subsequent conference.

Production is to resume immediately and wage increases are expected to be granted as soon as factories are reopened.—Reuter.

### Will Relay Coronation Programme

London, Feb. 10. Arrangements are being made by the British Broadcasting Corporation for special programmes during the whole of Coronation Week.

On Coronation Day, May 12, stations will relay the service from Westminster Abbey. In the evening, the King will broadcast a message to the Empire at the conclusion of the programme, entitled "The Empire's Homage," which will be on the lines of the Christmas relays from different parts of the Empire.

E. C. Blackwood, P. Blix, J. Bowes, Gordon Brown, H. F. Burford, Lt. J. R. Cole, A. M. Kennedy, R. A. G. Mayne, I. M. Macrae, G. S. McGill, W. D. Pearson, W. H. T. Pitcher, R. H. Roe, D. H. Stewart, R. P. J. Stewart, and A. G. White.

#### MEXICAN AMNESTY

Mexico City, Feb. 10. President Cardenas has declared an amnesty for all soldiers and civilians charged with rebellion, sedition or mutiny, asserting "Mexico is now enjoying an era of organic peace."—United Press.

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### FREER TRADE SUREST GUARD AGAINST WAR

### U.S. Urged To Extend Reciprocal Pacts

Washington, Feb. 10.

Urging the extension of reciprocal trade agreements in a letter to the Senate Finance Committee, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, declared to-day "the most basic interests of our nation will be betrayed unless we are able to continue for some time the same policy of bringing about trade revival as was pursued under the Trade Agreements Act. Neither constructive thought nor actual experience has suggested an alternative."

"There is not the slightest doubt that our abandonment of this programme at this juncture would mean the resumption of international economic warfare, which has been showing marked signs of abatement. Renewed economic warfare would inevitably mean intensification of the present-day political tension, which is already pushing many nations in the direction of military conflict...."

"There is only one sure way that the United States can be spared the damage wrought by war; that is for war not to occur."

"The years lie immediately ahead should see an adequate revival of international trade. This would be the most powerful single force in easing political tension and averting the danger of war," he declared.

Supplementing the appeal of his chief, the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. F. B. Sayre, declared: "The nation must reach toward liberal trade policies" as a means to achieve increased profits and the only sure foundation of world peace.—United Press.

#### JOINT LOAN SCHEME

New York, Feb. 10. The well-informed *World-Telegram* to-day asserts that in spite of official denials, it is persistently maintained in Wall Street that Great Britain and France have sounded President F. D. Roosevelt regarding a joint loan to Germany, on the sole condition that Herr Adolf Hitler curtail his armament programme.—United Press.

#### HOPE STILL LIVES

London, Feb. 10. The German proposals for a European settlement occupied a portion of question-time in the House of Commons to-day.

Lord Cranborne, speaking for Mr. Anthony Eden, who is on holiday, said that, as far as he was aware, there had been no specific withdrawal by Herr Hitler of his proposals made last week.

While he disagreed with the suggestion that Germany had refused to participate in negotiations for a settlement, Lord Cranborne admitted that there had been considerable delay, but the British Government still hoped that the negotiations would take place.—Reuter.

#### SOVIET TO PARTICIPATE

London, Feb. 11. The participation of Soviet warships in the sea control scheme was agreed upon, although not without some opposition, at a meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee to agree international supervision of the Spanish frontiers.

Both Lord Plymouth, the Chairman of the Committee, and M. Corbin, French delegate, expressed the opinion that the Portuguese attitude had created a serious situation.

The Italian Government has urged an extension of the powers of international observers, whose proposed functions have hitherto been limited to reporting breaches of the agreement through the London Committee.

M. Maisky, Russian representative, warmly opposed the Italian proposals as being tantamount to a blockade.

A special meeting of the Committee has been arranged for Friday to reconsider the scheme.—Reuter.

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It is hoped that by means of special equipment certain parts of the programme will be televised.—British Wireless.

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# Waltz the Viennese Way

DANCE fashions are changing again. To suit romantic frocks, romantic hats, romantic curls, the romantic dances are staging a triumphant come-back this winter.

In ballrooms and dance halls all over the country the waltz will reign supreme, the dance that shocked all Europe when it was introduced after the Napoleonic Wars and which has never really quite disappeared.

But the younger generation stand to be cut out by their fathers and mothers this winter unless they take lessons—for the 1937 waltz is not the languid dreamy affair of a few years ago but the true Viennese waltz, with its sway and swirl. Those who stand

out as good waltzers in tiny ballroom at the moment are either men and women over fifty or Austrian and German visitors.

**By Audrey Wrangham**

The Vienna waltz came into fashion again in Jubilee year for the Court balls, when those attending took lessons in it.

In Coronation year it will be danced again at Buckingham Palace, no doubt. It is constantly to be seen danced beautifully on the films, and the many people who took holidays this year in Austria and Germany saw it danced everywhere to the exclusion of the foxtrot.

Young people who are planning winter sport parties after Christmas in Austria and in Switzerland need quickly to learn it, for they will be completely out of things otherwise.

The quickstep and the waltz are the foundations of ballroom dancing; this winter in the opinion of Gen Mouffet, who is persuading people that the Vienna waltz can be and should be danced on the space of a postage stamp.

English dancers are apt to try and dance it like an English waltz and travel up the room, but German and Austrian dancers rotate in a minute space. For the second half of the gentleman's turn, for instance, one foot must brush past the other foot, revolving in a tiny circle. The hesitation step between turns should be done forwards and backwards and not sideways.

About three lessons will teach girls and their partners the correct swing, foot movements and hold. This should be upright, but not stiff, leaning rather away from each other. People erroneously imagine that this apart position takes up a greater amount of room in a ballroom, but this is, of course, a fallacy.

THE other dance that is bound to be popular all this winter is the Rumba, not to be confused with the Carioca, which has died a natural death.

The former is a South American dance that was always intended to be danced in a small space—making it essentially practical for English dance halls—with knees bent and together, shoulders and head well back, heels appearing never to touch the floor, and feet apart.

Pupils of the expert are given an exercise to enable them to master



the one essential step in the Rumba, slow, quick, slow, and the more than essential rhythm.

The apart position is again the correct one in this dance—both popular dances this winter get right away from the cheek-to-cheek style of dancing.

LATIN dances are becoming more popular with English people, and in the opinion of Mr. Richardson, editor of the *Dancing Times*, the Paso Doble may become as popular as the waltz by next summer.

So much nonsense has been written about the tango, which is, of course, a solo dance for a woman in Spain. The Argentine tango is a dance for two people, and it can perfectly well be danced by English dancers providing that they are taught the right rhythm and master the atmosphere of the dance. The Big Four points in all lessons are Balance, Position, Hold and Rhythm. Once they have been learned the essentials of any dance have been learned, too.

THE set dance is back again in the English ballroom. Reels are to be seen throughout the winter, and requests for lessons in reel dancing have been pouring in to Madame Vacani.

Young men who are shy—and there are still some like that—like reel dancing because it has a more sociable atmosphere than the dance "a deux."

Men and girls dance together who have not been formally introduced. Reels break the ice like Paul Jones or the old Lancers and none of the steps is difficult. In fact, not more than a single lesson is needed by the average dancer.

A new set dance, to appear during Coronation month, is now being planned by Madame Vacani to be danced in sets of six rather than the usual eight, and the steps will be taken from old typically English folk-dances.

Gone are the blues, the slow foxtrot. The Lancers is not back yet and the Veleta has not a very general appeal. It is the romantic waltz that is stirring dancers again, to the enchanting gaiety of Strauss music.

**Dr. Mary Anthony writes about**

## BABY'S EYES

OUR five special senses of seeing, hearing, smell, taste and touch, are infinitely precious and make life whole and complete. But of the five, probably the most precious is the gift of sight.

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Behind the pupil is the transparent glass-like lens and the sensitive retina which receives impressions like a photographic plate. The chamber of the eye contains a clear fluid which keeps up an even pressure.

NATURALLY, the care of the eyes should take first place in our scheme for children's welfare.

The eyelids should be clean and free from discharge and the lashes soft and thick.

At birth the nurse bathes the infant's eyes with a mild antiseptic solution in order to remove any contamination. If there are signs of much inflammation or of a profuse discharge within the next 21 days the health authorities are notified.

The trouble may be just a simple infection or it may be more serious with the risk of permanent blindness.

ness. In the latter case both mother and baby are usually removed to hospital. There intensive treatment is given to the baby whilst its natural feeding can be continued.

OF late years there has been a marked decrease in serious eye trouble occurring in infants.

This is mostly due to increased ante-natal care. The mother comes under skilled supervision and if she is suffering from some serious disease immediate and continued treatment is given. The infant may by this means escape the dreadful heritage, but too often there is congenital malformation of the eye, so that the sight is seriously impaired.

FOR the healthy normal baby a little weak boracic lotion is good. A piece of clean cotton wool is soaked in this and the eyelids gently wiped. A separate piece should be used for each eye to prevent the spread of infection from one to the other.

After a few weeks this need not be continued if there is no sign of stickiness of the lids.

Older babies, and children sometimes have a "sty" on the eyes. If the eyelash round which it is formed can be plucked out, so much the better. But as this is a job requiring some little skill it is safest left untouched.

The application of a little diluted "Golden Eye Ointment" is very helpful. This should be applied at

bedtime and followed the next morning by a bath with warm boracic lotion. This lotion consists simply of one teaspoonful of boracic powder to one pint of boiling water. This should be well stirred and placed in a clean bottle when cool.

This powder, which is in the form of a hard tablet, is usually crushed up and put on the tongue. It is then washed down with a little water. A child, of course, may swallow the tablet whole or it can be administered by crushing and neatly concealing it in a spoonful of jam.

WHEN the whites of the eyes are inflamed and red the child should use only his own soap, towel, etc. This form of conjunctivitis is catching and is frequently seen among schoolchildren in the spring and late autumn.

Reading is a fair test of eyesight. Toys and other objects, which are large and have a definite outline do not put much strain on vision. But

to see a picture or a word in a book requires some degree of focussing and it is at this stage that defective eyesight becomes apparent.

The child screws up his eyes or frowns hard, at the same time holding the book very close up.

The use of suitable glasses will correct this weakness and will prevent the trouble from growing squint.

Mothers may be deceived by an appearance of squint due either to short sight or to a broadening of the skin on the nose, which seems to cover the inner angle of the eye.

If, however, the squint is constant, the mother should try to ascertain which eye is affected. By covering one eye the other will be seen to

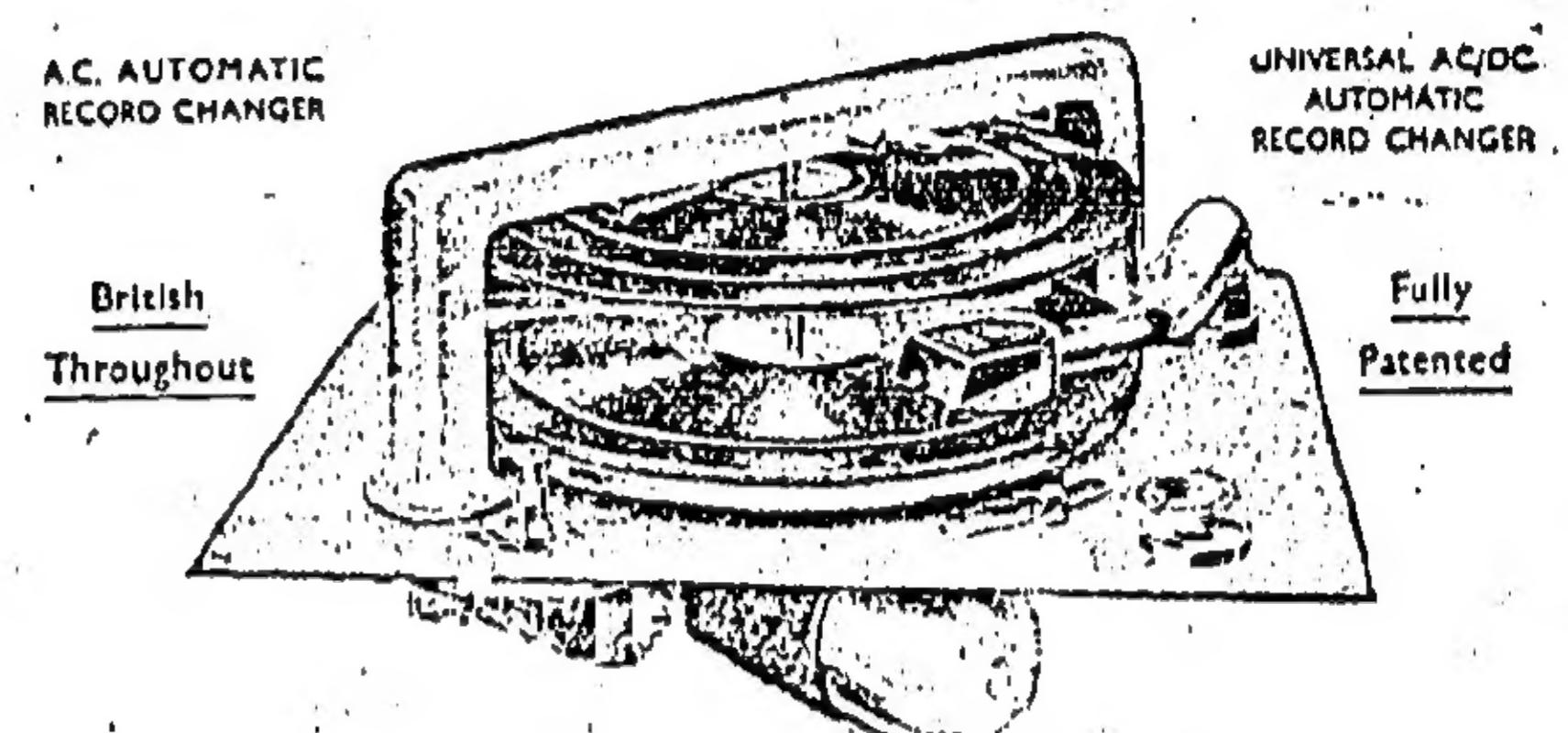
squint if both eyes are weak. If only one eye is weak the good one will not squint when the bad one is covered.

No time should be lost in the treatment of squint as the child is using the wrong muscles for vision.

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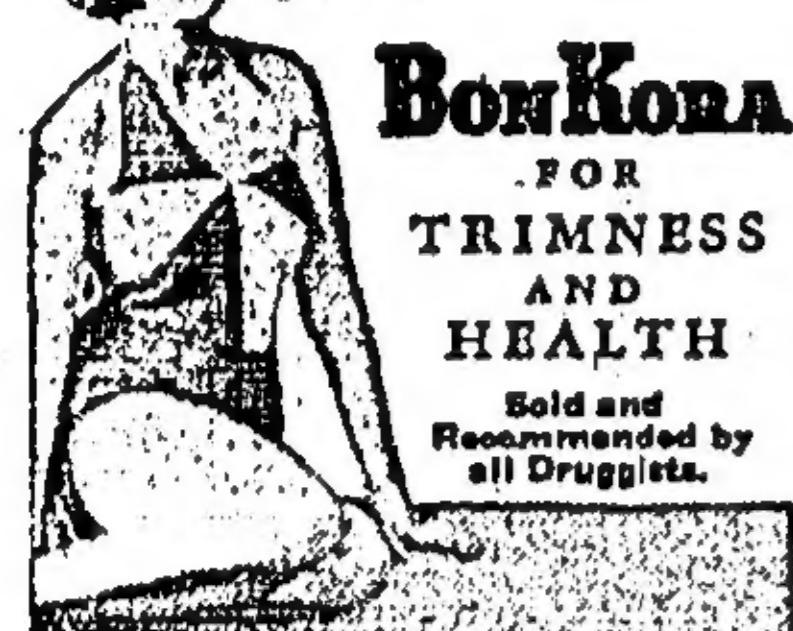
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## THE MACLEANS OF ARDGOUR

### Dispute Regarding Chieftainship

#### HEADSHIP OF OLD SCOT CLAN

Edinburgh, Jan. 30. The hearing was continued in the Second Division of the Court of Session, Edinburgh, to-day, of the appeal arising out of the dispute between Lieutenant-Commander Henry Hugo Maclean, R.N.R. (retired), of Windhovier, Bursledon, Hampshire, and his cousin Miss Catriona Louise Maclean of Ardgour, as to who is headship of the Macleans of Ardgour.

The case originally came before the Lord Lyon King of Arms in the Lyon Court, and he held that he had jurisdiction to try the question at issue between the parties and allowed a proof. It is against this decision of the Lord Lyon that Commander Maclean has appealed to the Court of Session. One of his contentions is that the Lyon has no jurisdiction in the matter of a chieftainship, and another that the proceedings before the Lyon were null and void because the petition was signed and the petitioner was represented by Mr. Thomas Innes of Learney, who is a Herald as well as an advocate.

When the hearing was resumed to-day the Lord Justice-Clerk, addressing Mr. Hector McKechnie, counsel for the appellant, said: "You are asking us to decide here and now without inquiry that a chieftainship can have no bearing upon an application for arms?"

Mr. McKechnie.—Yes. The Lord Justice-Clerk.—There may be a great deal of force in your request that we should decide that now. My difficulty, however, is that the view of Lyon is that chieftainship is relevant to the question of arms; but I do not know what Lyon's reasons are for this view. He has given none, and in a specialist matter of this kind I think we are entitled to get from Lyon the grounds on which he says the chieftaincy is relevant to the question of arms. What I am suggesting is that this is a case for remitting back."

**REMISSION ON TWO POINTS**

The Lord Justice-Clerk.—If we feel difficulty, as we do, about deciding this case without knowing exactly what was in the mind of Lyon, can you really oppose the sending back?

It is going to be remitted back on another point, anyway, because we are not going to hear Mr. Innes until we have decided the question of his status. That being the position, it is better to clear up several matters at the same time.

Continuing his Lordship said that there ought be great force in the view that Lyon had no jurisdiction in a matter of chieftaincy, but before their Lordships could hold that at this stage they must find out what the view of Lyon was on that.

'On Mr. McKechnie indicating that he was prepared to agree to his Lordship's suggestion, the Lord-Judge Clerk intimated that they would not write an interlocutor until next week, and if there were any matters which counsel on either side considered proper matters for remit perhaps they would let the Court know.

Mr. Gordon Thumson, for Miss Maclean, also signifying his assent to the proposed course, said that he thought the whole difficulty in the case had arisen from the fact that the parties were not in agreement as to what was meant by the words "chief" and "chieftain." That could be solved by asking Lyon what he understood the words to connote. That would clear away a great many of the difficulties.

The Lord Justice-Clerk indicated that their Lordships would adjust the questions to be put to Lyon and that these questions before submission to Lyon would be shown to counsel.

#### Child Film Star's Earnings Father's Bankruptcy

Blackpool, Jan. 25. The earnings of Deidre Gale, "Britain's Shirley Temple," who is now in Hollywood, were mentioned at Blackpool Bankruptcy Court to-day when her father, Ernest Arthur Broughton, 40, of St. George's-road, St. Annes, appeared for his public examination in bankruptcy.

Mr. Broughton, a builder and contractor, also trades as "J. B. Decorations," of Barnes, London. His statement of affairs showed a deficiency of £4,871.

He said that he had "ambitions in respect of his daughter."

The Official Receiver, Col. H. Parker: The ambition is that she shall become a second Shirley Temple?—Yes, sir.

And you met certain difficulties with the educational authorities?—Yes, my daughter is only eight.

The Official Receiver referred to money paid into a banking account, saying that he would want to know how this money was earned by the child.

"Shirley Temple or no Shirley Temple, the girl never earned that money, or anything like it, in this country," he added.

He ordered Mr. Broughton to prepare an account of his child's earnings, giving the names and addresses of the sources of revenue.

## Scientist Thinks He Has Seen Thought Waves

NEW discoveries about the aura, or emanation which surrounds the human body, were disclosed recently by the scientist who is carrying on the work of the late Dr. Kilner, of St. Thomas's Hospital, pioneer explorer of the aura.

Kilner sensitized his eyes with cyanine, which enabled him after patient experiment to observe with the naked eye the actual "waves" of the aura.

A new sensitizer has been discovered by the present investigator which enables him to see waves of 30 millionths of a millimetre, nearly a third shorter than those visible to Kilner.

This is the same wave-length as aura—something quite distinctive from the inner, outer and extra-outer aura described by Kilner," he stated.

Its significance is that it may be the emanation from the brain.

"When I have fully established its existence and qualities," he declared, "I shall have brought a transmission of thought from a possibility to a scientific probability."

He is convinced that the aura is of first importance to medical men in the diagnosis of disease.

**READERS' AID.**

The first announcement of these researches was made a year and a half ago. The scientist was then on the verge of destitution.

Help from the public and from other scientists has enabled him to complete his present investigations, the result of which he expects to publish this year.

In continuing his experiments he hopes to be able to use quartz for his lenses, because it transmits short waves more efficiently than glass.

But for the present he finds the cost of quartz prohibitive.

## HONEYMOON ATTEMPT ON WORLD'S RECORD

Mr. Charles Morrice and his bride, of Queensland, are spending their honeymoon in an attempt to beat the world's inland canoeing record of 3,450 miles made by a young Englishman, Mr. John Molan, in America.

They are paddling their way down the Condamine River, thence along the Balonne, Culgoa, Darling, and Murray Rivers to the Southern Ocean, near Adelaide. Then they will return to Brisbane by the same route, covering all told, they hope, more than 4,000 miles.

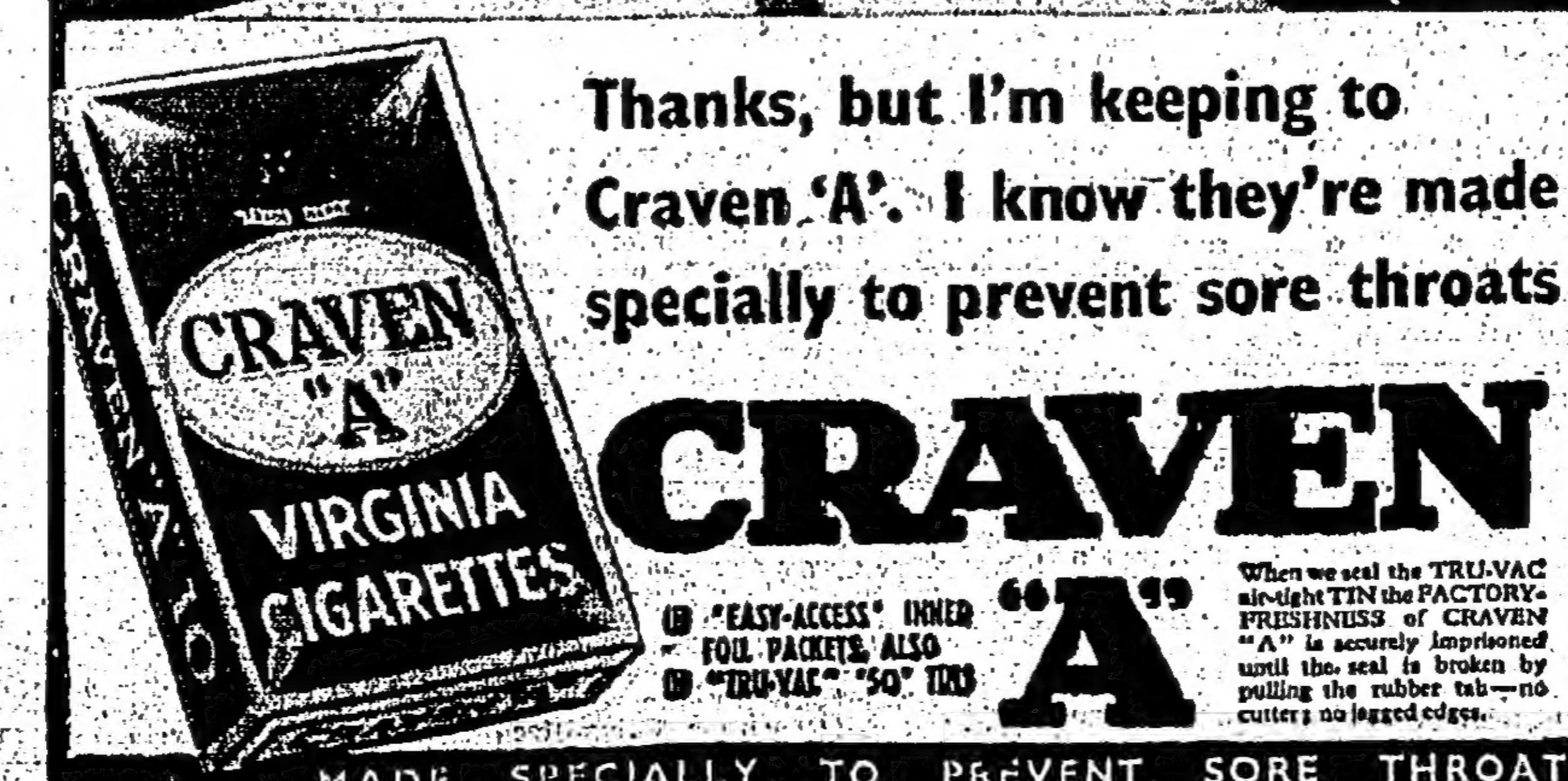
Their canoe which they built themselves, says Austral News, cost £2-

## Otto Kahn Surprise

HE LEFT "ONLY" £794,000

0 OTTO KAHN, International banker and art patron, believed to be one of the richest men in the world, left a net fortune of only £794,000. He died in 1934. The will was filed for probate to-day.

Financial circles were surprised at the smallness of the estate, which showed that Mr. Kahn had suffered from the depression even more than his friends had thought. It was expected that his personal fortune would amount to between £2,000,000 and £10,000,000.



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New York, Jan. 30.

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He began to sing "Sweet Mystery of Life." Everybody liked it except twenty-five-year-old Harold Rambert.

He cried, "Shut up," but Parker went on.

When Parker had finished the song Rambert said: "I don't like you. I think I'll give it to you." He drew a pistol and shot Parker dead.

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## NOW THE COLD IS WAKING HER

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**R. OHL.**

Agent.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1937.

**Railway Bond Settlement Is Rumoured****CHINA ALLEGEDLY SEEK AGREEMENT**

London, Feb. 10. Though no official confirmation is forthcoming in London regarding the rumoured Hukuang Railway Bonds settlement, the City is very pleased with the reported terms.

The bonds were dealt in this morning around 64 for the undrawn series and 62½ for the drawn bonds. The market was very firm, there being very little stock available.

While an official announcement is still believed to be imminent, some quarters are inclined to believe that the unofficial reports represent feelings put out by the Chinese Government in order to test the reaction.

Those who are optimistically inclined suggest that China has already reached an agreement with the Americans, who have hitherto been holding up the negotiations by demanding better terms, especially with regard to arrears, than other interests. British, French and German, are willing to accept. The fact that Hukuang bonds are higher priced than Pukows, which have been accorded similar terms, is attributed to a report that Hukuang will be given a lien on the Salt Gabelle, now regarded as excellent security. Moreover, the City expresses pleasurable surprise regarding the payment of a five per cent. return so soon.

It is not expected that any sharp movement of the bonds will occur,

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Public Works Department,

Hongkong, 10th February, 1937.

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Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 27th February, 1937, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1936.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 15th February to Saturday, the 27th February, 1937, (both days inclusive) during

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**21 YEARS AGO****Extracts From The "Telegraph" Files**

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The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 11.3/16d.

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An election was held to fill the vacancy on the Sanitary Board, caused by the departure of Dr. G. L. Fitzwilliams. There were two candidates—Dr. F. M. Graca Ozorio and Dr. H. G. Earle—and Dr. Ozorio was returned by 330 votes to 85.

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Foreign banks in Hongkong notified that no compradore orders, other than cash orders issued by them, would be accepted until further notice in payment of collections or amounts due to them.

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The China Provident, Loan and Mortgage Co. Ltd., reported gross profits of \$162,627 and declared a dividend of 7 per cent.; the Hongkong Tramway Co. Ltd., reported profit on working totalling \$19,032 Ga. Bd., with dividend of 12 per cent.; and the Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., profit on working amounting to \$47,201, with dividend of 7 per cent.

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**LONDON, E.C.2.****CINEMA NOTES**

The long-awaited new Tarzan drama, "Tarzan Escapes," reuniting Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan in the adventure picture based on the world-famed Edgar Rice Burroughs characters, is now at the King's Theatre and proves to be every bit as enthralling as its spine-tingling predecessors. Set in its wild background of jungle excitement with Tarzan, the superman again making his breath-taking swings from tree to tree, fighting off hostile natives and the forces of civilization alike with the beasts of the jungle his friends, the story of his primitive existence sends stirring appeal to all lovers of adventure and romance. Weissmuller of the magnificent torso again proves himself an authentic Tarzan and Miss O'Sullivan is once more delightful in the role of his mate who shares their curious treecrop bungalow. Fine support is given the stars by Herbert Mundin and John Buckler.

**"That Girl From Paris".**

She kills her fiance, finds four beauties to take his place, and then pursues them overseas to America. This is the start of a madcap musical romance for Lily Pons, attractive little French prima donna, who is starred in the gay musical comedy, "That Girl from Paris," which has its run-to-day at the Queen's Theatre. A musical pot-pourri is unfolded for melody lovers, running the gamut from hot "swing" tunes to the coloratura soprano's rendition of "Una Voce Poco Fa," the memorable aria from Rossini's "Turandot." Strauss' "Blue Danube Waltz," and three popular numbers by Arthur Schwartz and Edward Heyman, "Seal It with a Kiss," "Call to Arms" and "My Nephew from Nice." The music intersperses a rollicking tale of a famous little French singer who seems an operatic career and a chagrined fiance to pursue romance across the ocean to a strange land.

**"Our Relations".**

When two Laurels and two Hardys were filmed together at the Majestic Theatre last night in the latest Hal Roach M-G-M feature comedy, "Our Relations," it set the audience into one uproarious, hilarious round of mirth and merriment. One laconic, sad-faced Laurel, and one pompous, jovial Hardy have been inseparable and irrepressible in the entertainment world for ten years, but in their current production they each acquire a twin brother, portraying a similar role for the first time in a feature-length comedy. It's double-trouble and doubleLaughs in the most ingeniously funny situations ever to confront this team of stellar comedians.

**"Three Smart Girls".**

Dainty Deanna Durbin, a brilliant and altogether charming personality will be introduced to local movie fans to-day when Universal's gay comedy drama, "Three Smart Girls," has its showing at the Alhambra Theatre. Surrounded by a cast of established cinema favourites including Binnie Barnes, Alice Brady, Ray Milland and Charles Winninger, this youthful newcomer to the screen lives up to advance notices of her musical genius. She proves, too, that she is much more than just a singing child prodigy. Possessing exquisite beauty, and rare charm, the talented youngster gives a smooth performance. These Smart Girls tell the amusing story of three daughters of a rich New Yorker who upset their father's a gold-digging blonde. The title roles are played by little Miss Durbin, Nan Grey and Barbara Read. As the father, Charles Winninger essays a new type of role and turns in a grand performance. Miss Barnes plays the part of the gold-digger and Miss Brady is ideally cast as the blonde's scheming mother. Mischa Auer is a hit as an impoverished nobleman whom the three youngsters hire to lure the adventures away from their giddy parent. Ray Milland and John King provide handsome romantic interest as sweethearts of the two elder of the three girls. The remainder of the cast includes Ernest Cossart, Hobart Cavanaugh, Lucille Watson and Nella Walker.

**Extending Operations**

Avala, Feb. 11. The extension of insurgent operations against Madrid is forecast here as a result of the improving weather. According to military headquarters several Government attacks on positions cutting the Valencia road have been easily repulsed.

Insurgent planes have bombed the Aragon road heavily. The trunk highway leads out of Madrid and has carried heavy traffic. The attack caused much confusion among the transport convoys.—Reuter.

**Counter-Blow Repulsed**

London, Feb. 10.

An insurgent radio message from Avila states that a fierce attempt to dislodge them from their positions at Vizcaya near Madrid, commanding the Valencia road, was made by Government troops, who, supported by tanks and artillery, attacked in three waves—twice in the morning and once at nightfall. The attackers were repulsed with great losses.

Another message, from Malaga,

reports that the Nationalists on the Malaga front were to-day engaged in clearing up the province and that they occupied Patanillas and Cartama.

The Madrid Defence Council denies that the road between the capital and Valencia has been cut by the insurgents, but it admits that port of the road has been heavily bombed.

The British naval authorities are willing to assist refugees to return to Malaga, as well as to transport foodstuffs for the starving inhabitants.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

**Denial From Rome**

Rome, Feb. 10.

The allegation that Italian troops participated in the capture of Malaga is denied here, where it is still officially maintained that there has been no official support for the insurgents.

It is admitted, however, that it is possible that there are unofficial Italian volunteers among General Franco's troops, just as there are on the Government side.

The news of the capture of Malaga has been received with unconcealed joy in all quarters here.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

**YU HAN-MOW GOES NORTH****Cranborne's Statement**

London, Feb. 10.

Lord Cranborne stated in the House of Commons at question-time that according to his information, there were large numbers of Italian personnel in Spain, but he could not give any accurate estimate of the numbers involved. The British Government had recently addressed the principal European Powers with a view to putting an end to the despatch of volunteers to Spain.

The Italian Government, in common with the other Governments concerned, had undertaken to prohibit these movements as soon as others did so, but they had declined to take such steps in advance of other countries. The British Government were now exerting their utmost efforts to secure an agreement in the Non-Intervention Committee on which prohibition could be put into force simultaneously by all the Powers.—British Wireless.

**CONTINUED SUSPENSION**

Tokyo, Feb. 11.

The Cabinet has decided to further suspend the session of the Diet, until February 14.—United Press.



John Buckler, Benita Hume, Johnny Weissmuller, William Henry and Maureen O'Sullivan in "Tarzan Escapes," now showing at the King's Theatre.

**POST OFFICE.****CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS**

On Thursday, February 11, the General Post Office and all Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed. There will be no collection from the pillar boxes and no delivery by Postmen, but ordinary correspondence will be delivered to callers at the back entrance of the G.P.O. from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

On Friday, February 12, the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will be open from 7.30 a.m. to noon. The Sheungwan Branch Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and also from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m., and the other Branch Offices will be entirely closed. There will be one collection from the pillar boxes as on Sundays, and one delivery of ordinary correspondence at noon, and one delivery of registered correspondences at 11 a.m. despatch by the R.M.A. Dorado will close at 8 a.m. Friday.

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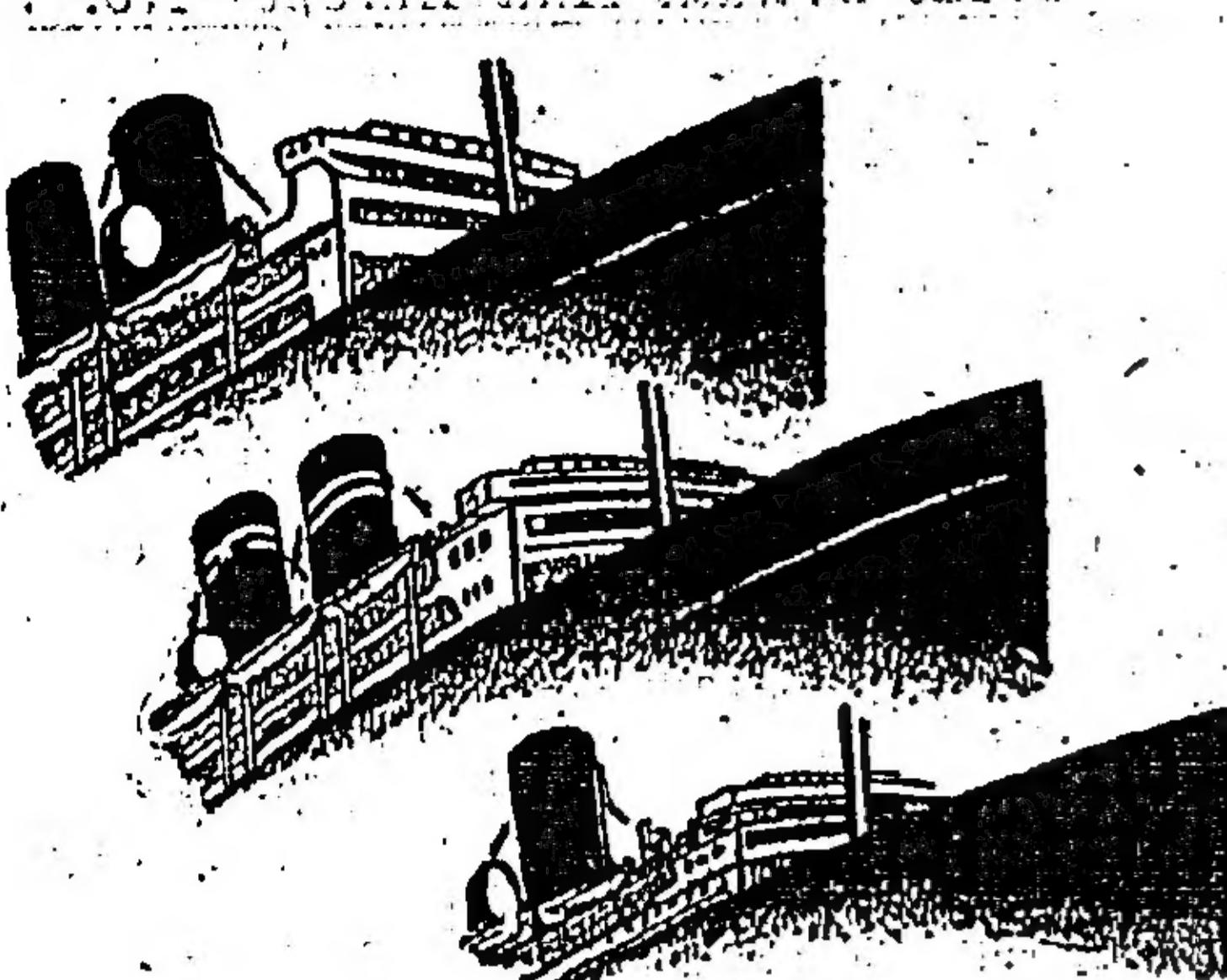
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## THE INTERPORT FOOTBALL MATCH

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and Bossuet dashed towards goal. It was more by luck than judgment that as a result of these tactical errors, the Hongkong goal did not fall often than four times.

Both players were ill at ease against the dashing methods of the Shanghai forwards. The visitors' first time kicking, and the way in which Roboostoff harassed his why through, clearly left the backs puzzled and on tenterhooks. It was not their best display.

### Real Strength

Shanghai was adequately served by the wingers, Foy and Jimmy Ward, who pushed the ball across with nice consistency. But the real effectiveness of the attack lay in Bossuet, a brilliant schemer, Roboostoff, a magnificent striker, and Belinsky, who showed touches of rare skill in his ball manipulation.

At the other end of the field the Colony forwards did practically everything that is regarded as being academic in football—except score more than three goals. Three goals is a lot, but that number doesn't anywhere near indicate how many chances the forwards had of piling on others.

Fung, by his unselfish play missed golden opportunities of cutting through and putting at goal. I thought Yeung Shul-yick was much too eager to dispossess himself of the ball, while Bickford, although improving in the second half, was always sadly off the mark when he essayed a go at goal.

All of which boils down to a few words. Lack of finish. Though Hongkong's attack several times looked dangerous, it can be said that every time Shanghai attacked they were potential goal-scorers.

The Colony definitely expected too much from Lee. Tactics should have been changed immediately it was seen that he was a marked man. Instead Fung persisted in trying to put him through when there was practically no hope in heaven, or earth of his getting a chance to show his talents.

Shanghai won because they tackled fearlessly, and quickly; because their passes were more open and longer, and because the forwards shot more with greater accuracy.

It was a victory well deserved, and we in Hongkong are the first to acknowledge it.

Before the game I said it wouldn't surprise me to see Hongkong score three times in the first 20 minutes. Well, three goals were scored in the first half, but not by Hongkong. Roboostoff, seizing on a mistake by Gasono, nipped through to open the Gasono account in the 15th minute. In the 35th minute Bossuet, enjoying the good fortune of the wind and the spin of the ball, met the second.

Five minutes later, another shocking blunder by the Colony defence let in Foy who added No. 3 with a fast rising shot.

Thus the position at half time, I thought Hongkong should have had a penalty in the first half when Lee Wai-long, who was right through, was both tripped and pushed in the back, but Sergt. Isley, the referee, didn't see it.

The Colony made a breath-taking start to the second half. Lee broke through after four minutes to score in typical style. Eight minutes later a nice right wing movement found the Shanghai backs at sea and Wilson jumped in to notch the second. Within two minutes local jubilations turned to sorrow when Foy, enjoying another error of judgment on the part of the local rearguard, nipped in to score with a magnificent first-time shot.

Still the Colony fought back, and when ten minutes later Lee Wai-long was brought down heavily in the penalty area and scored with the customary ease, it seemed that the local lads would yet save the day.

But Shanghai responded strongly and both goals were visited in turn. Roboostoff should have scored, but his shot struck Pau Kit-ping, the goalkeeper and the ball landed on the roof of the net. Then Belinsky broke through but was hindered in his final attempt. At the other end corners fell to Hongkong, but they were cleared by some miracle. The last thrill of the match was when Lee got away and looked certain to score. But he failed to control the ball and it ran forward for Ebdesson to secure and clear.

### Spain Sends Out £4,700,000 Gold

Marcelles, Feb. 1. Twenty-three tons of gold arrived from Cartagena to-day in a Spanish steamer consigned to the Bank of France. It is worth about £4,700,000.

Due to the reservation of the first floor by the St. John Ambulance Brigade for their ball, the ordinary dinner-dance at the Hongkong Hotel will take place in the Roof Garden to-night.

## Fortunes In New Year Cricket Match

(Continued from Page 9.)

and Owen Hughes set out his field accordingly. But he kept late for three gave the Services the lead on the first innings with two wickets in hand. Next over McLellan bowled (Walch on his pads—03-0-10)—an useful hard hit knock. Warr got a long hop on his legs to set him straight and smacked it for four and had a single to long leg but Barron snicked the next ball to Marshall to second slip (or fine gully if you like)—and the Services had a lead of six runs! A very close game.

### SECOND INNINGS OF CLUB

The Club started their second innings just before four with the order unchanged. The Services bowled Barron for Tufnell at the yard end. Both batsmen seemed pretty comfortable but Pearce got a nasty one on the thigh which pained him a good deal. It seemed however as if there was not going to be a procession this time, and with nice shots by both went up without loss. At 25 Tufnell relieved Garthwaite, but Pearce sent up the 30 with a very nice shot to the square-leg boundary. A few runs later Whitmarsh succeeded Barron and his first ball was a thoroughly bad long hop. Owen Hughes, for the second time in the match, was caught by Wauchop off a ball skied to leg. 34-1-12. Marshall came in and seemed to settle down; only at no time did the scoring become fast. At 55 Prichard came on for Tufnell and the game proceeded rather slowly. However at 73 Marshall tried toiven things up and ran out to Prichard, missed, and was stumped. 73-2-21.

Neve, who followed, glanced Prichard's off break fine for three but he did not seem comfortable at first. He off-drove Whitmarsh for four—but I think that bowler had been kept on rather long and was tiring. The score mounted steadily. Neve having nearly all the bowling until at 105 he ran out to play Prichard and was stumped. 105-3-28. Tufnell was now bowling for Whitmarsh.

Hayward altered the order and sent in Holden. Pearce was having very little of the bowling but was playing it very well and took a beautiful pair of fours to square leg off one over of Tufnell's. Holden batted surprisingly well and stayed with Pearce until the latter completed his 50. He had taken an hour and three quarters but he did not have his fair share of the bowling and was handicapped by a damaged leg.

At 125 Barron went on for Tufnell but Walch kept Prichard on as he was always looking like getting a wicket. Pearce off drove him once beautifully but it was mostly a question of singles. In Barron's second over Pearce let out and bowled 131-4-50. Hayward sent in Ride, who all the time had been running for Pearce. The light was very bad, and when Ride was lbw to Barron for a single stumps were drawn leaving the Club 129 runs up with five wickets to fall.

Full score and analysis at close of play.

### H.K.C.—1ST INNINGS

H. Owen Hughes, c Wauchop b Tufnell	9
T. E. Pearce, c and b Tufnell	10
J. D. Marshall, c and b Tufnell	11
A. W. Hayward, c and b Tufnell	12
L. T. Ride, c and b Tufnell	13
D. Prichard, c and b Tufnell	14
T. McLellan, c and b Tufnell	15
H. Barron, c and b Tufnell	16
A. D. Barron, c and b Tufnell	17
G. A. Stewart, not out	18
R. L. Holden, b Tufnell	19
Extras (B, 14, LB, 3 NB) ..... 20	20

Fall of wickets—1 for 3; 2 for 21; 3 for 26; 4 for

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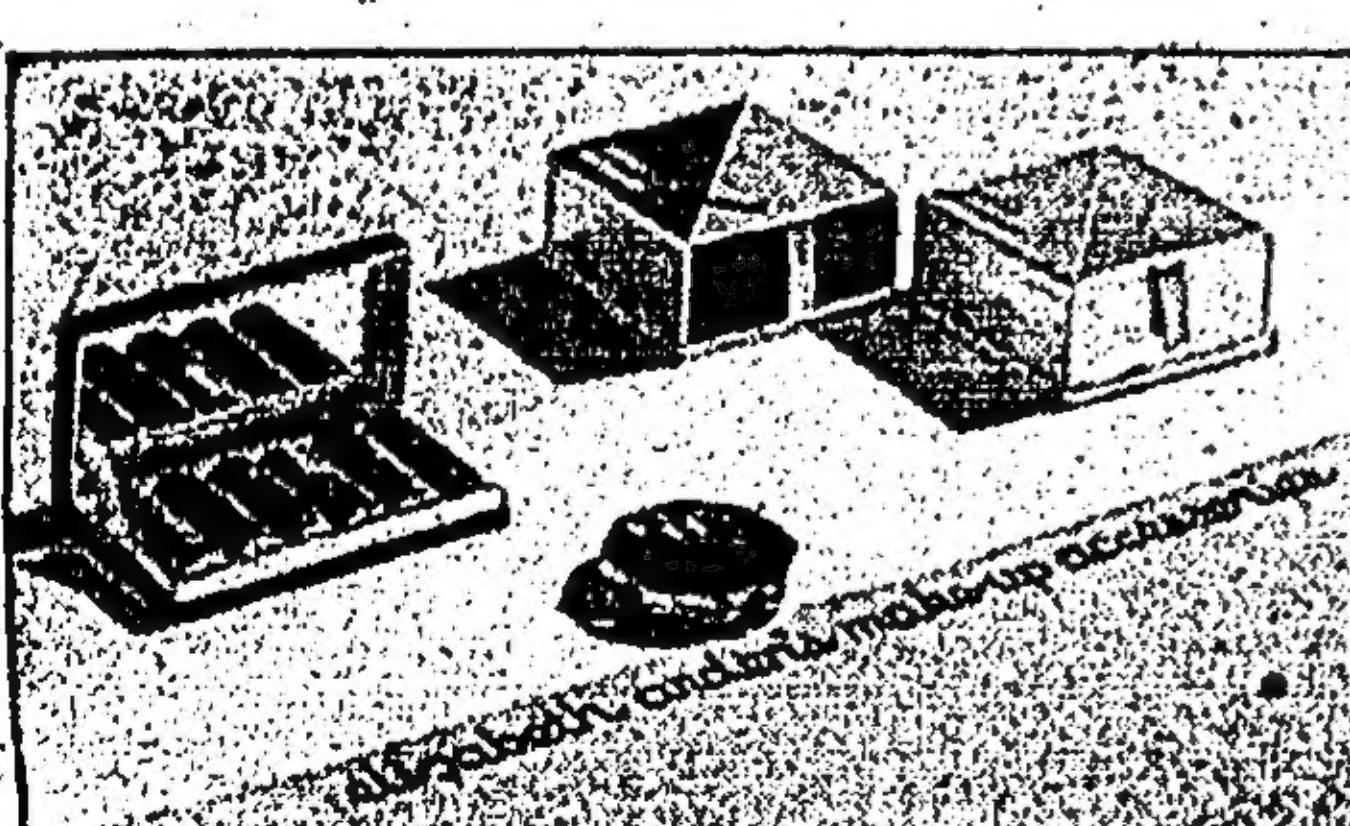
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### HOPE FOR THE LEAGUE

The success which the League of Nations has registered by a satisfactory adjustment of the Alexandretta and Danzig problems is giving fresh hope to those who believe that, despite other failures, it can still be made an institution of worldwide value. It is realised that if other nations are to be brought back into the League, reform is essential. A committee, consisting of the representatives of twenty-eight of the League countries, is accordingly now studying the various proposals which have been put forward. This body is well-supplied with material as a basis for its labours. When the Assembly met last summer, only eighteen countries had submitted their views in writing, and there were published under the title of the "application of the principles of the Covenant of the League of Nations." At the present time, forty-two countries have put forward proposals for making the League a more efficient peace machine. It would have been a miracle if all these States, in different parts of the world and with widely varying outlooks, had hit upon exactly the same ideas for "League reform." The remarkable fact is that certain common conclusions run through the majority of the replies. Nobody has suggested that the best interests of the League will be served by drastically overhauling its machinery. There is, indeed, a discreet recognition of the simple truth that the existing machinery merely needs driving power. That, of course, must come from the Member-States themselves. The proposals, in general, aim at strengthening and not weakening the powers of the League. It is unlikely that many actual amendments of the Covenant will be recommended by the Committee of Twenty-Eight. No desire for drastic changes is evident in the replies of the Governments. The question of the interpretation of certain articles of the Covenant, however, may well be raised. The majority of League members have stressed the importance of

## THE EMPIRE'S RIGHT OF WAY

Showing the Strategic Position by  
a Map with a New Angle

By  
**AUGUR**

true friends of this country. Along the route to the Cape there is not a single potential enemy to-day. This favourable situation, however, will deteriorate if the Azores, or the Canaries, or points on the African coast can be used by Germany as bases for airplanes and submarines. The drawback will then be apparent that we ourselves do not possess such bases in the Atlantic and on the West African coast. Great Britain has nothing in that quarter to compare with Casablanca and Dakar, which belong to France.

In this changing world the cartographers still uphold their law of putting North at the top of the map. Sometimes this dims political vision. The position of the British Empire, for example, becomes clearer, if we dare to give to East the topmost place in our map of the world. British naval strategy in its relationship to the problem of the Mediterranean certainly becomes clearer.

Let us look at the world from this new angle. East is at the top. The fact then stands out that Europe with Asia forms one continent. Four oceans wash this mass of land with its adjacent islands (Australia included)—the Atlantic and the Pacific, the Indian and the Arctic. We now see the British Isles in their central position in command of trade routes, and the importance to this country of the short-cut to the East through the narrows of the Mediterranean and the Red Sea is evident.

The Indian Ocean has Imperial territories all round it. It is the British Mediterranean. With the exception of France no other naval Power exists in these waters. The link with the Atlantic is not through a narrow strait, but in a wide expanse of open sea. Near it the only land is a British Dominion. The Arctic supplies an alternative route to the Pacific, but navigation is difficult, and Russia is in absolute control.

The Atlantic is the home of the British Navy. With that position strongly held Great Britain need not fear set-backs elsewhere. On the other hand, defeat in the Atlantic would be fatal. It could not be balanced by gains in any other part of the world.

The difference between the Atlantic and the Mediterranean is just this: the ocean is the basic position, whilst the sea is but one of the two great routes of the Empire. The map shows that the nerve-centre of British naval power is in the area between Norway and the western extremity of Africa. Near it are the two sectors, in which British supremacy may be challenged. One of these is the North Sea, where the German Navy is at home. The other is in the Straits of Gibraltar—the sally-port for the forces of a Mediterranean Power like Italy.

It is fortunate for Great Britain that the United States, France, and Portugal are

enabling the League to act firmly as soon as there is any danger of war. It has always been assumed that a unanimous vote is necessary for action under Article 11 of the Covenant, and one useful reform would be to alter a practice which enables a party to a dispute to impose its veto. There is also a desire to make Article 19 of the Covenant a reality, so that the League may become an instrument for peaceful change.

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British policy in the Mediterranean depends entirely upon the nature of our relations with the Italians. This is a delicate subject to broach at a time when the memory of the conflict over Ethiopia still lingers. Yet it is at the bottom of the Mediterranean problem.

The object of British policy must be to preserve intact the right of way we possess through the Mediterranean.

As explained in the article, the position of the British Empire, especially in relation to naval strategy, becomes much clearer if the East is substituted for the usual North at the top of the map.

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## COLOMBO SUPPORTS AIRWAYS

### JOINS TO AUSTRALIA-ENGLAND LINE NEW PLANE'S SUCCESS

Colombo, Feb. 10.  
The State Council has decided to participate in the new Empire air mail service.

The link will be effected by an extension of the Kanchi-Madras "feeder" service to Colombo, giving access to the main England-Australia route.

The Karachi-Colombo extension will be operated by the Indian firm of Tata and Company, which already operates the Karachi-Madras service.—Reuter.

#### CASTOR'S ACHIEVEMENT

London, Feb. 10.  
The flying-boat Castor has made a remarkable flight to Alexandria, arriving 24 hours earlier than expected.

The Castor left Southampton at 7.27 a.m. on Monday and reached Alexandria at 7.50 p.m. on Tuesday. She covered the 1,800 miles from Marseilles at an average speed of 103 miles per hour.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

#### EXCEED EXPECTATIONS

London, Feb. 10.  
Asking in the House of Commons whether experience with the Empire flying-boats confirmed the practicability and advisability of their extensive use on the Imperial air routes, Sir Philip Sassoon said the performance of the flying-boats had exceeded expectations, and nothing had occurred suggesting any alteration in the policy of using these boats on the imperial routes.—Reuter Special.

#### ATLANTIC TESTS

London, Feb. 10.  
As part of the preliminaries to the starting of the Atlantic trial flights, the Empire flying-boat Caledonia, which is specially fitted with additional tanks for long-range experiments, practised working with the new wireless station in the Shannon Estuary yesterday, when she was in the air over Ireland, the Irish Sea and the coasts of Cornwall and Wales for about six hours.

When the Caledonia took off from Southampton Water, she carried a big overload, for which she is designed when the Atlantic journeys begin, and her gross weight was 45,000 pounds. The take-off run occupied 30 seconds. The boat is reported to have behaved admirably and the trial provided valuable data.

The Caledonia is due to fly non-stop from London to Alexandria—a distance greater than that across the Atlantic from Ireland to Newfoundland—next Monday or Tuesday.—

#### \$3,000,000 CONTRACT FOR H.K. FIRM

(Continued from Page 1.)

be arranged, innumerable pumping units must be provided to take care of the high and low demands for water, meaning increased initial cost of machinery and less economical operation.

In the plant decided on, there will be only three high pressure pumps delivering water to the city, and three low pressure pumps drawing water from the river to supply the filters, and by this means a most economical pumping system will be obtained.

#### FILTER CONTROL

Special care has been given to the mechanical apparatus controlling the filters, and little or nothing has been left to manual control. Automatic gear of a most modern design will be provided for, and all twelve filters will be controlled and manipulated from one central master control table.

Independent control of each filter is also obtained as desired, and automatic indicating apparatus shows the attendant the continuous performance of each unit. In addition to reading, at sight, the condition of each filter while in operation, the amount of water passing is indicated on a chart which is kept for reference and for the maintenance of official records.

These charts make a true record during every 24 hours of the day, each day having its own chart, thereby indicating to the officials in charge the exact amount of water passing at any period of the day. By this means the condition of the filter bed may be charted and adjustments made accordingly.

Particular attention has been paid to sterilising the water passing from the pumping station into the city. Special apparatus similar to that used in all modern waterworks will be installed to control the chlorine gas which is mixed with the water in small quantities but sufficient to kill all harmful bacteria.

Duplicate sets will be provided for to ensure a constant supply in case one plant is stopped for repairs.

#### WILL MEET HEAVY DEMANDS

In addition to the equipment described above, a 42" diameter supply main will be laid direct from the new filtration plant to the hill reservoir. This main will be connected to the piping system now in use in the city, and at the same time will adjust the storage of water in the reservoir and maintain a steady pressure even when excessive demands are made by water consumers.

Suitable two storied offices, a laboratory, workshops and godowns will also be erected and fully equipped to complete the scheme, so that the most modern appliances will

## FRANC RECOVERS FURTHER "BEAR" COVERING RESPONSIBLE PESSIMISM DISPelled

London, Feb. 11.  
The further recovery of the French franc, which at one time this morning touched 104.98, is chiefly attributed to bear covering, induced by unconfirmed reports from Paris that important changes are contemplated in French financial policy.

Dealers in foreign exchange assert that the dealings have not been heavy, pointing out that, with the relaxation of the recent pressure on the franc, moderate covering suffices to cause a sharp improvement in the rate.

Forward quotations have improved to 75 and 250 centimes discount for one month and three months respectively, against 93 and 200 last night at the close, showing that at least some of the recent pessimism regarding the future of the franc has been dispelled, though operators are still inclined to treat rumours with reserve pending more definite information.

#### OTHER CURRENCIES AFFECTED

Correspondingly, the weakness of the guilder, which is at present quoted at 8.99½, sellers, compared with 8.98½ last night, and the apparent inclination of the Swiss franc to follow suit at 21.47½ against some quarters to represent a change-over in the attitude of international capitalists, who, perhaps, are beginning to move funds long stored in Swiss and Netherlands currencies to French, where the chances of appreciation are possibly greater. It might also indicate a desire to invest in French securities.

Another school of thought affirms that the weakness of the guilder is natural, since a stage has been reached where repatriation of Netherlands capital is almost com-

## REVISING TEXTILE QUOTAS FOR GOLD COAST AND NIGERIA

London, Feb. 10.  
It is announced in December last that on January 1, 1937 a revised system of textile quotas would be introduced in Nigeria and the Gold Coast, details of which were then stated. It has since been represented that the quantities of textiles which could be introduced into the two Colonies under the arrangements proposed might be insufficient for the needs of the market.

His Majesty's Government has therefore decided to extend the first quota period from 12 to 18 months. Quotas for the extended period will be calculated on the basis previously announced, and licences for the whole period will shortly be allocated. Fur-

ther licences will shortly be available, permitting import into Nigeria during this period of goods from each foreign country to an amount equal to two and a quarter times the amount imported from that country in 1935, or 3.75 per cent. of the total imports from all countries in that year—while however is the larger amount—while in Gold Coast licences will similarly be available in respect of all countries, Empire and foreign.

The whole position will be reviewed in September next and if it then appears that the licences are unlikely to meet the requirements of the market for the remainder of the quota period, a further issue of licences will be considered.—British Wireless.

be available for the use of the engineers.

The whole of the work will be carried out by Messrs. Malcolm & Co.'s engineering and structural departments in the short space of one year, thereby ensuring an adequate supply of water before the summer of 1938.

We understand that the structural designs are now well advanced. As Messrs. Malcolm & Co., Ltd., have within the last few months completed an important water filtration contract for the Macao Waterworks Co., all plant required for the erection of this new project will be available for immediate use.

The value of the installations is approximately Hongkong \$2,800,000 which includes the cost of all imported machinery and special equipment.

Orders will be placed immediately with well-known British firms with whom preliminary details have already been settled. A representative of Messrs. Malcolm & Co., Ltd., will leave within the next few weeks for London to approve of the necessary mechanical apparatus and ensure that deliveries of equipment will coincide with the programme of construction which will severally tax the resources of the engineers to complete the work within the short period allowed for erection.

The signing of this important contract is a step further in the direction of Sino-British co-operation. The finance is derived entirely from British "sources" in Hongkong, and with this close friendship between the two major cities in South China a firmer understanding will materialise,

## Roosevelt Fights For Reform Bill WINS FIRST ROUND IN CONGRESS DISSENSION APPARENT

Washington, Feb. 10.  
The House of Representatives passed by 315 votes to 75, and has sent to the Senate, the Bill proposed by Mr. H. W. Summers, of Texas, permitting Supreme Court judges to retire on full pay at the age of 70 years.

The Bill appears to be designed to encourage judges to retire voluntarily at the age suggested by President Roosevelt.

A Republican amendment, making the age 75 years, was overwhelmingly defeated without a division.

The debate was marked by a fiery attack on President Roosevelt's reorganisation proposals by two Democratic members, Mr. Lamneck and Mr. Fox. The former said to increase the size of the Supreme Court might lead to a Hitler or Mussolini type of Government.

The passing of the Bill, which President Roosevelt endorsed in his judicial reorganisation message, is the first step to make effective the President's reform proposals.

Although the bulk of influential

newspapers are making the smallest signs of revolt against the President, latest indications are that the President is more determined than ever to have his way, and will probably succeed.

President Roosevelt states: "I feel deeply that unless the plans go through, legislative paralysis will result whilst Congress debates whether or not to amend the Constitution—a process which itself may take a number of years. During this interval, the New Deal would be unable to proceed with far-reaching labour legislation for which the nation gave a mandate in my election."

The President may appeal to the nation by radio if the opposition becomes formidable.—Reuter.

## CENSUS OF WAR MATERIAL SOUTH AFRICAN PREPAREDNESS MUNITIONS PROJECT

Capetown, Feb. 11.  
The Union Government has started a census of the nation's war materials. Important measures in this connection are the signature of an agreement with Imperial Chemical Industries for the erection of a munitions factory at Pretoria, capable of producing ten million rounds of machine-gun ammunition annually for the use of the whole of British South Africa, and the formation of a War Supplies' board to discover what can be manufactured within the Union during times of war and peace.

The Board will also plan, in consultation with the General Staff, how mobilisation should be conducted in war-time so as not to paralyse the civil population.

The British Government has undertaken to supply the Union with one hundred modern Hawker and Hurricane fighting aeroplanes at £200 each, which is less than one-twentieth of their value, for delivery before April, 1938.

The South African Air Force is building another hundred planes under licence.—Reuter.

#### "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

To-morrow's Picture Features

Wedding illustrations will predominate in to-morrow's issue of the *Telegraph* Picture Supplement. Pictured will be those of Mr. G. Davies and Miss M. Russell, Mr. F. Soden and Miss C. B. Peggy, Mr. A. V. Alvares and Miss M. S. Botelho, Mr. R. G. P. Weighton and Miss A. B. Kinney, Mr. Lo Chor-kin and Miss Leung Pak-ying.

Also appearing will be a group taken on the occasion of the visit of Lady Caldecott to the Po Loung Kuk, another of some of the participants in the "oldtimers" dance at the Club Lusitano, and some pictures showing the Ambulance Brigade competition for the Ralphs Shield.

Results of last week's Children's Competition, with details of a new contest for the kiddies, will also be given.

A newly-born girl was found in a lavatory near Arsenal Street about 11 p.m. yesterday. It is believed by the police that the child was born there. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital, where she died at 3 a.m. to-day.

## 5 KILLED IN GERMAN AIR CRASH MILITARY PLANE EXPLODES

Berlin, Feb. 11.  
Five people were killed when a military plane exploded in mid-air and then struck a high tension cable and fell in flames in the busy Muellerstrasse in North Berlin to-day. The Muellerstrasse is a long road running from the Friedrichstrasse to the northern suburbs.

The two occupants of the plane attempted to jump with their parachutes, but the machine was flying so low that the parachutes did not open and the men fell like stones.

"Gallons of burning petrol were flung over passers-by and a number of tramway officials, injuring several.

A commercial motor-van standing in the roadway was destroyed. The machine finally came to rest in front of a circus, where performing lions were appearing, causing a panic, for fear the animals should escape.

The crash is the third of its kind within a year. On June 2, 1936, two machines, believed to be military single-seaters, collided over Munich and crashed into the street, killing three and injuring two people. On May 1, 1936, a military plane fell in the suburbs of Ulm, killing several people, but the details were kept secret.

An official communiqué states that the plane involved in the latest disaster, which was an Air Force transport machine, crashed during a heavy snowstorm against a high tension wire. The statement adds that in addition to the crew being killed, a tramway official has died from burns as a result of the high tension wire falling to the ground, while another official was seriously burned.

(8 p.m.) (Time Signal).

8.05 p.m. Weather Report and Announcements.

8.07 An organ medley by Reginald Dixon.

8.15 London—"This is England." Talks by representative English people No. 6: L. G. Ermitt of Cornwall, Keeper of St. Mawes Castle. Introduced by Anthony Weymouth (Electrical Recording).

8.30 London—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

8.35 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.15 Overture—"Marriage of Figaro" (Mozart), played by the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Clemens Krauss.

From The Studio

9.20 p.m. The 3rd of a second series of gramophone recitals by The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent.

10 p.m. London—Big Ben. "Empire Exchange." Points of view by travellers from the Dominions and Colonies. (Electrical Recording).

10.15 A Variety Programme.

Vocal Duets—Flanagan and Allen Memories... Flanagan and Allen; Humorous—Fourth Form at St. Michaels... Will Hay and His Scholars; Orchestra—An old world garden... Alfred Campell and His Orchestra; Vocal—He was a gentleman's gentleman, The lady from Mayfair... Michael Carr; Organ-Solo—Ferraris—Dance of the Brides of Kushim... Marcel Palotti; Guitar Duet—Chiquita Waltz... Ferera and Paulini; Vocal—If all the world were mine... Gracie Fields; Piano Solos—Waltz Time Medley, Dancing Butterfly... Rule da Costa; Vocal—Whistling in the dark... The Viennese Seven Singing Sisters.

11 p.m. Close Down.

## CURIOS MOTOR ACCIDENT

### LORRY HANGS OVER SEA WALL

A curious traffic accident occurred in Kennedy Town yesterday morning. While travelling from west to east along the Kennedy Town piers, near Queen's Road West, lorry No. 2402 skidded, nearly causing it to topple into the harbour.

As it was, the rear half of it was over the wall, and only the fender prevented it from dropping into the sea. It was said by a police officer that a slight touch would have caused it to go over. There was only the driver on the lorry and he was unhurt.

## OFFENSIVE FILMS WILL BE BANNED

Rome, Feb. 10.  
Italy and China have agreed to prohibit the display in either country of films offensive to the other.

It is believed here that the exhibition of a number of Russian films in China will be prevented, on the ground that they are offensive to Fascism.—Reuter.

#### NO SIGN OF RIFT

Moscow, Feb. 11.  
The appearance of M. Stalin, the Soviet Dictator, at the Pushkin celebrations at the Bolshoi Theatre, with Marshals Voroshilov, Yegoroff and Budenny, is considered to be evidence of the absence of disunity between the Red Army and Stalin.—Reuter.

The next fortnightly dance of the R.E.O.C.A. will be held in the Peninsula Hotel on Wednesday, February 17, 1937, commencing at 8.30 p.m. Music will be provided by the Band of the 1st Bn. The Scots Guards Highlanders.

Kobe, Feb. 10.  
The death has occurred of Mrs. Kathleen White, wife of the British Consul-General at Osaka.—United Press.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Gramophone Recital By The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent

LONDON BROADCASTS

Radio Programme Broadcast by ZBW on a Wavelength of 355 metres (845 k.c.s.), 31.49 metres (9.62 m.c.s.).

H.H.T.

12.30-2.15 p.m. European Programme.

12.30 Dance Music.

1 p.m. Time and Weather.

1.03 Songs by Stuart Robertson (Bass-Baritone) with Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.

1.30 Reuter Press, Rugby Press.

Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 Gilbert & Sullivan Excerpts.

2 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

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# The Triumph Of Youth, Optimism And Courage In Soccer Interport

## SHANGHAI MORE THAN FULFIL EXPECTATIONS

**PLAY RIGHT TACTICS AND WIN THRILLING ENCOUNTER**  
**COLONY XI DISAPPOINTS**

(By "Veritas")

Hongkong F. A. .... 3 Shanghai F. A. .... 4  
(Lee Wai-tong & Wilson)

**TENSE**, pulsating, thrilling football kept 7,000 spectators cheering for the better part of 90 minutes on the Navy Ground at Causeway Bay yesterday, when Shanghai, contrary to general expectations scored a spectacular victory over Hongkong in the annual football match by four goals to three.

Afterwards Jock McKelvie, the Hongkong team manager, said "The better team won." Lee Wai-tong, Colony skipper said "The better team won." I agree, and at the same time disagree with them. In some respects Shanghai were a better team. They were faster—full yard faster; and by that I don't mean in race for the ball, but in moving the ball, in tackling and their shooting. It was those split seconds in taking the leg back its full distance and in choosing a short swing back which made a whole heap of difference to which direction that ball went. In this respect I agree Shanghai were the better team.

They were also the better team in tactics. To them the primary object was to get the ball in the quickest time possible and by the shortest route available into the Hongkong goal. Four times they succeeded. Three times in addition they went perilously close. It wasn't dainty football. It was honest, hell-for-leather stuff which the purists disdain, but which so often produce goals.

When it came to the artistic features of the game, Hongkong were far and away the better team. The trouble was they were too artistic. Artistry does not always produce goals, neither is the scoring of goals always dependent upon artistry. Thus it was in this game.

### —Then What

Territorially speaking Hongkong had four-fifths of the game. They had the touches and took the ball up from one end of the field to the other just as if there were no opposition. But to where did it lead? Invariably a lost opportunity of shooting, a clever piece of interceptive work by Marcel and Vicent, or a weak punt over the goal line.

Shanghai had three really decisive attacks in the first half. They scored each time. Quite apart from the fact that Gosano and Lee Tin-sang contributed something in measure to these goals, the real secret of them was the ability of any of the Shanghai forwards to shoot well enough to score.

There was a striking distinction between the two attacks. Unless Lee Wai-tong got goals, nobody looked like getting them. With Shanghai it was all about the effects of his efforts in the second half and Foyen became more of a menace, crowning a useful display by netting a spectacular goal just when it seemed Hongkong would save the day.

Gosano and Lee Tin-sang were frequently disappointing. They were terribly at fault in positional play, being much too square and leaving large gaps in the middle of the field through which Roboostoff, Belinsky and Foyen

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## MARCAL IS FLYING TO SHANGHAI ON SUNDAY

(By "Veritas")

L. Marcel, the Shanghai captain, is literally making a flying visit to Hongkong.

He informed me yesterday that he would not be playing in the United Services match neither would he be at the Interport dinner.

He is flying back to Shanghai by a C.N.A.C. plane on Sunday, his leave having expired.

And so he will be the first to tell Shanghai first-hand of the team's great triumph. But the Interport dinner will be the poorer by his absence, and it will be generally regretted that he must miss much of the fun attached to the visit.

When The Game Was All Over

### THEY SAID—

AND this is what they said after the match.

L. Marcel (Shanghai's Captain). "Well, I told you we had a team which might surprise you: It was a grand match, and our fellows did wonderfully well."

Lee Wai-tong (Hongkong's skipper). "The better team won. Naturally we are a bit disappointed, but we congratulate Shanghai on a fine performance. I can't help thinking that at times the ball ran rather badly for us, but Shanghai's tactics were extremely good."

Stanley Gash (Shanghai's manager). "What can I say? It was a wonderful display. The whole team played like men possessed. Did you notice those forwards? Magnificent! Of course we are delighted, though Hongkong has our congratulations on putting up a sterling display. The fact is we did something which we scarcely believed possible."

Jock McKelvie (Hongkong's manager). "There is no doubt that that better team did win. They played the right type of football. I agree they may not have been so pretty to watch as Hongkong, but look how much faster they were, and how more effective the attack was. I do wish Campbell had been in a little better form. The forwards badly needed his passes. But it was a great game, and Shanghai deserved to win."



Andy Wilson (dark shirt) Colony inside left, has tussle for the ball with Jack Ward, Shanghai centre-half during yesterday's Interport match. (Picture staff photographer).

## THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI INTERPORT FOOTBALL TEAMS



### TENNIS

## Tungshan Take The Lead

### IN MATCH WITH THE K.C.C.

The Deutscher Garten Klub tennis team from Tungshan secured a very useful lead yesterday in their two-day tennis contest with the Kowloon Cricket Club, winning six men's events and losing four ladies' matches.

The big match of the day was the singles between George Bodilker and E. C. Fincher, the former, playing for Tungshan, winning after a splendid three-set match. Fincher won the first set but lost the next two. Bodilker showed excellent form and has clearly improved his game on grass. Fincher was short of practice, but for this might have won in straight sets. He was leading 3-2 in the second set.

A. W. Ramsey had a remarkable match against H. Rode. Ramsey, K.C.C. third string, won the first set and led 5-2 in the second. He then gained eight match points, but could not clinch the issue, and Rode came up from behind and eventually won the match in the third set.

The Kowloon Cricket Club ladies proved too strong for the visitors, though Mrs. Rode had a wonderfully improved exponent offered fine resistance to Miss Madge Griffiths. In the first set she out-drove her opponent, but could not sustain the rally, Miss Griffiths winning more on her errors than anything else. In the second stanza Mrs. Rode tired and could not maintain the pace. Nevertheless her general display was most praiseworthy and quite clearly she will develop into a useful player. Her strong point was severe driving on both wings. It caused Miss Griffiths to be on the defensive for most of the match.

Mrs. Kunter gave Miss Mackenzie a hard match after a bad start, eventually losing 5-7, 7-9. Miss Mackenzie's severity of stroke eventually pulled her through to victory.

Miss Perry won fairly comfortably against Mrs. Brunke, while Miss Griffiths and Mrs. Goodwin did well to defeat Mrs. Rode and Mrs. Brunke.

Yesterday's results were as follows.

### MEN'S SINGLES

G. Bodilker (Tungshan) beat E. C. Fincher, E. Dillner (Tungshan) beat W. W. Hirst, B. Soltau (Tungshan) beat V. Freeman, H. Rode (Tungshan) beat A. W. Ramsey, A. Sander (Tungshan) beat A. Phillips, H. Rode (Tungshan) beat R. S. Capell.

### LADIES' SINGLES

Mrs. Rode (Tungshan) lost to Miss M. Griffiths, Mrs. Kunter (Tungshan) lost to Miss A. Mackenzie, Mrs. Brunke (Tungshan) lost to Miss E. Ferry.

### LADIES' DOUBLES

Mrs. Rode and Mrs. Brunke (Tungshan) lost to Miss Griffiths and Mrs. Goodwin.

The Deutscher Garten Klub were guests at Ulfen and dinner yesterday, and also at the dance which was held at the club last night. At the dinner Mr. Ezra Abraham, vice-President K.C.C., welcomed the Canton team and Mr. H. Schneider (president Deutscher Garten Klub) replied. Mr. S. A. Gray proposed the health of the ladies to which Mr. G. Bodilker responded.

Weather permitting the tennis programme will be continued to-day, when further ten matches will be

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)		
York	4 Rochdale	1
SCOTTISH CUP (1st Round Replays)		
Albion Rovers	5 Lothian	3
Aberdeen	1 Dunfermline	0
St. John's City	3 King's Park	4
*After extra time.		

Reading 2 Luton 2

### Another Swimming Record Set

Copenhagen, Feb. 11. Miss Ragnhild Hveger, established a world's record swimming mark for the women's 400 metres race today, covering the distance in five minutes 14.2 seconds.

The former record, set up by Miss de Nouden of Holland was 5 minutes 16 seconds.—Ruter.

### BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP HUI WINS EASILY IN FIRST ROUND

P. K. Hui, a "seeded" player, and one of the favourites to win the men's singles badminton championship of Hongkong enjoyed an easy passage into the second round on Wednesday evening when he beat Frederick Koh of Chinese Y.M.C.A. in straight games.

Although the match was played on the Chinese Y.M.C.A. court, Hui asserted a superiority from the outset.

He surprised one and all by winning the first game to love, and only conceded five aces in the second game. The scores were Hui beat Koh 15-0, 15-5.

Hui now meets the winner of the Frank Kwok-E. da Sousa match in the second round.

### M.C.C. WIN BY INNINGS

### Great Bowling By Copson

Canberra, Feb. 11. The match between the M.C.C. and a New South Wales Country Eleven was concluded shortly after tea today. In reply to the tourists' total of 380, the Country Eleven had lost one wicket for one run yesterday when stumps were drawn. On this assumption the score was advanced to 137 for nine wickets at lunch, and the whole side was out shortly after the interval for 102.

Kelly was top-scorer with 49, while Ames aped in the unusual role of bowler, taking three wickets for nine runs.

Following-on, the home side found Copson in deadly form. Bowling into a strong wind, and appearing to swing in sharply, the fast bowler returned the fine figures of seven wickets for 18 runs, and was primarily responsible for the dismissal of the Country Eleven for 78.

The M.C.C. thus won by an innings and 140 runs.

### HOME FOOTBALL

### LATEST RESULTS

London, Jan. 10. The following are the results of the matches played in the English and Scottish leagues to-day.

### LEAGUE DIVISION I

Wolverhampton 4 Brentford 0

Sunderland 3 Bolton 0

SECOND DIVISION

Bury 3 Norwich 2

Swansea 3 Burnley 0

Sheffield U. 0 Southampton 0

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bury 3 Luton 2

Reading 2 Luton 2

## PROBLEM OF THE H.K. DERBY

### Sensational Gallop By Havoc Eve

### ROSEMARY STILL THE MOST PROMISING PONY

(By "Captain Foster")

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During the next week we shall have many fascinating problems to solve, but there is one which will stand out over all the others—the problem of finding the Hongkong Derby.

The first "Forecast Pool" closed last Monday and it is learned that a very satisfactory response has been received, there being over 1,300 nominators.

There is no end of rumours and subtle secrets rolling down the Wong-Nei-Chong gap and the latest being that the Dynasty's nominations were given a test gallop over the Derby course last Monday at 11 a.m. King's Coronation came off with flying colours while King's Highway pleased the connections.

It was reported that the former covered the distance in 3.17 romping inside 32 seconds and the last half-a-mile was cantered in 1.05. King's Highway's time was 3.22 or thereabout and the last quarter was better than King's Coronation's figure.

SENSATIONAL GALLOP

Another sensational gallop took place on Thursday, February 4, when Havoc Eve came on to the track at noon and he journeyed the champion course in 2.46 finishing the last quarter inside 31 seconds.

However, not being a gallop, I was not present when these two tryouts were held and I must therefore pass on to what I had seen with my own eyes.

It is my candid opinion that there are to-day only two aspirants for the Blue Riband and they are Havoc Eve and Rosemary.

It would give a false colouring should I attempt to suggest that Rosemary is now a "dead cert" for the main event, but I have no hesitation in saying that it must be a first class animal to deprive her or Havoc Eve of first place in the Hongkong Derby unless Ike starts for the main event. After his recent performances at Kwanti, Ike has no opposition while Nobulus Star and Giselle should fill the minor places.

The Hunters' Hurdle over a mile for China ponies has attracted no less than ten entries and there are three jumpers carrying 175 lbs. and the rest to weigh out at 168 lbs.

This is some weight for the "old timers" to shoulder. Belmont Star and Double Chance should be in the limelight but the book of form shows that the latter is not an honest racer.

The great jumper, Pride of Tsingtao, has been allotted top-weight, namely, 168 lbs. in the Fanling Grand National and Pierce Grove Memorial Cup, but the distance has been shortened to one and a half miles.

It would interest all to know the reason for chopping and changing the route. Perhaps it was necessary to alter the distance to attract a good field.

FANLING NATIONAL

It might perhaps not be known that it was 11 years ago that the first Fanling National was run over a course of two miles, and to further the interest, H. R. H. Prince George, now Duke of Kent, kindly donated a handsome Silver Cup to the winner.

There was no change in the conditions of the Fanling National run in the following year, but in 1928, the distance was altered to two and a quarter miles.

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# SHANGHAI HOCKEY TEAM DETERMINED TO BEAT HONGKONG IN THE INTERPORT

Hear Glad News Of Football Victory  
AND ARE ENCOURAGED

(By "The Pilgrim")

The Shanghai women's Interport hockey team arrived in Hongkong late last night, and the first news the players heard was that Shanghai had won the Interport football. The news gave them a great fillip and they vowed there and then that they would emulate the example in today's hockey match.

It was a somewhat tired, but spirited team which left the Empress of Asia round about midnight. The players said they had enjoyed a very comfortable trip, the water being calm all the way down.

Among Hongkong hockey enthusiasts to meet the Shanghai squad were Mrs. Harrop, secretary H.K.L.H.A., Miss Gray, Miss J. Wong, Miss M. Smith, Miss J. Smalley, Miss K. Glover, Miss F. Wong, and Miss J. Dalziel.

In reply to my enquiry as to what chances they regarded Shanghai possessing of winning the Interport, Miss Bloomfield said "Very bright indeed. Hongkong thinks we have a weak team, but such is not the case."

"We were very upset at losing Mrs. Jean McKeown who plays on the right wing, but Miss Nora Kelly, though not so fast, is very good."

Asked whether Shanghai would be able to field a team against a local schoolgirls' eleven, Miss Bloomfield said she could not reply definitely at the moment and would prefer to leave the question until later, to see how her team fared after their first three games.

"We would like to have played the schoolgirls in our first match before the Interport, but since everything has been arranged we will give



COLONY'S HOCKEY DEFENCE FOR TO-DAY'S INTERPORT. Left to right Mrs. Rose, Miss Gray, Miss Fowler, Miss I. Woolley, Miss J. Wong, Miss K. Glover.

## Pen Sketches Of Colony Players

### WHO'S WHO IN THE TEAM

The following are a few pen sketches of the Hongkong Interport hockey team which will oppose Shanghai this afternoon. It is regarded as one of the strongest combination the Colony has ever put into the field.

**Mrs. Rose (goalkeeper).** The best and most reliable goalkeeper the ball Colony can produce. Clears the ball well with both feet. Represented Hongkong against Shanghai in 1935. Has played for St. Andrew's in the local league for the last five years.

**Miss E. M. Gray (right back).** A very steady full back, who knows a great deal about the game. Played for the Colony against Shanghai in 1936. Has been a stalwart of the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club defence for years, and was one time captain of the team.

**Miss A. Fowler (left back).** Though occasionally erratic with her clearances, Miss Fowler is a powerful hitter. When playing a steady game is rocklike in defence. Is fast and covers her partner well. A member of the Rest XI against Shanghai in 1935, and played for Colony in Shanghai last year. Is a regular player for the Y.M.C.A. league team, and helped the "Y" to win the league this season.

**Miss I. Woolley (right half).** A magnificent spoiler who possesses remarkable stamina. Her constructive work is also first class. Played at left-back against Shanghai two years ago, and was chosen as reserve and played for the Rest against Shanghai last year. Is a member of the Central British Association, former league champions.

**Miss J. Wong (centre-half).** A splendid worker; fast and plays an untiring game. Is exceptionally skillful in defence, and knows how to make the best use of her passes. Represented Hongkong against Shanghai both in 1935 and 1936, but then at right half. Plays as pivot for St. Andrew's.

**Miss K. Glover (left half).** The most polished player in this position in the Colony. Plays a fine constructive game, and excels in positioning. This is her debut in Interport hockey, but there is no question about her worthiness to represent the Colony. In the league turns out for Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club first team.

**Miss O. Dalziel (outside right).** A very fast winger, who centres the ball accurately and usually to the best advantage of her inside forwards. Has shown consistent form throughout the season, and deservedly earns Interport honours for the first time. The Y.M.C.A. enjoy her services in the league.

**Miss W. Marsh (inside right).** A rare trier, who can bustle her way through the best of defences. Likely to prove a great source of worry to the Shanghai rearguard. Was chosen for the Rest against Shanghai two years ago. Plays consistently for the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club.

**Mrs. Donald (centre-forward).** A wonderful opportunist, who also opens up the game in attractive style. Has an effective shot and feeds her colleagues with judicious judgment. Is a recent arrival in Hongkong, but has already made a name for herself in the league.

Miss Bomko and Miss Vicat are exceptionally fine backs, and the Colony attack will have to be on its toes to get past them. The attack is a new combination, and with the exception of Miss Sheridan, unknown to Hongkong. Miss Esther Bloomfield was captain of the 1935 team.

## FLUCTUATING FORTUNES IN CHINESE NEW YEAR CRICKET MATCH

### ALL SET FOR THE INTERPORT TO-DAY

ALL is set for the third annual women's hockey Interport match between Hongkong and Shanghai which is being played this afternoon on the Hongkong Football Club ground. This is the second time the contest has been staged in Hongkong and to date the Colony has not yet lost to their northern sisters.

Indications are that they will retain that proud record to-day, though everyone appreciates that Shanghai has sent down an extremely capable team, and one which Hongkong will not find easy to overcome.

The current form of the local players is very well known, but I shall be surprised if we do not note a great advance in the standard of our visitors' play. Reports have it that hockey generally has progressed, in which case it is well-to-bear-in-mind the possibility of a Shanghai victory.

On the other hand, if the Hongkong players strike true form I am confident they will win.

Elsewhere you will find pen sketches of the two teams.

London, Feb. 10.  
Oxford University beat Edinburgh University by 23 points to 3 in a Rugby League match played to-day. In another game Navy lost to Civil Service by three points to nine. Kent beat Wiltshire in a County match 14 points to five.

in the hockey world and is an obvious choice for the Interport side. Her league team is the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club.

**Mrs. M. Smith (inside left).** Hongkong's most versatile forward. Has developed a scoop shot to perfection and is going to be a thorn in the side of Shanghai this afternoon. Possesses a good turn of speed and displays cunning stickwork. Played in the Interport against Shanghai at inside right in 1935 and on the right wing the following year. A member of the Y.M.C.A. hockey team, and tops the list of goalscorers in the Cae Clark League.

**Miss M. Westcott (outside left).** Like forked lightning on the wing, and a very difficult player to stop.

Her partnership with Miss Smith has long been one of the most famous in the Colony, and she is certain to give a good account of herself to-day. Has already won Interport honour, playing in Shanghai for the Colony last year. Plays for the Y.M.C.A. in the league.

### CLUB COLLAPSE, AND THEN MAKE GOOD RECOVERY

### UNITED SERVICES FIND RUNS HARD TO MAKE

(By R. Abbit)

The weather was very kind on Thursday when this annual fixture between the Club and the United Services was commenced on the Club ground. Hayward won the toss and opened with Pearce and Owen - Hughes. Tufnell at the yard end and Garthwaite bowled, and seemed to be able to get plenty of spin from the pitch.

Owen-Hughes, still in his patch, made nine and then hit a full toss to leg straight at Wauchope and was caught, though the ball was rather clamped to the body of the catcher.

A further disaster befell the Club at 21 as Pearce tried to drive Garthwaite but hit the ball straight to Murray at deep mid-on. 21-2-3. Tufnell by now was bowling definitely on the short side and one rank long hop got up over Marshall's head, the next, a length ball, kicked and went for four byes and the next, just short of a length, also got up very high and hit the batsman on the hand so badly that he had to retire and get it attended to. On his return, the next hit him in the same place, though he played forward to this one. He then retired temporarily and Tom Hayward came in.

Neve at the other end played Garthwaite's next over comfortably, the wicket seeming to play well enough. Next over the bad spot on the wicket claimed a victim as Neve was playing one hard to leg when it got straight up and he gave Garthwaite an easy catch at mid-wicket 26-3-1. Prichard then relieved Garthwaite and Tom Hayward cracked his first ball beautifully through the covers for four, but was completely beaten by the second, and had he connected with the ball off the very bad shot he made, he must have gone in the ships. However he survived.

Next over, while several of Tufnell's kept low, one got up and Hayward had great difficulty in avoiding giving a catch to second slip. But just when things looked a bit better Ride shaped to hook an atrocious long-hop of Prichard's and very obligingly patted it into his hands. 33-4-2.

With the slow bowler turning them very sharply and Tufnell connecting pretty often with his spot and either bumping or shooting, runs were few and far between and the batsmen could do nothing but hang on and hope for the wicket to become easier. All they could do was to push or pat an occasional single. And very well they did it. Tufnell tired and was relieved by Whitemarsh who nearly had McLellan caught in the slips off his first ball. The score crept up to 50 without further loss but it had taken 25 minutes to get the 17 runs! The score started to mount quicker and then as so often happens a wicket fell, as McLellan snicked a single from Whitemarsh and was brilliantly caught low down at second slip by Prichard. The ball never seemed more than a few inches off the ground 62-16. A gallant innings which lasted 20 minutes.

Marshall returned but after scoring two what looked like a fast off break from Whitemarsh shoved back his off peg. 64-0-7. Garthwaite then relieved Prichard who was losing his length—a wise change. Wodehouse managed to get his bat in the way at the start though he did not seem very happy. But at 75 he was just too early for one of Whitemarsh's and the bowler took a catch at his toes. 75-7-2. Mackenzie came in and his third ball—a fast good length—one to which he played forward—stood up and hit him over the heart knocking him out temporarily. It seemed to be the old spot moved up the wicket a bit.

But the great disaster came next over when Garthwaite sent down a really splendid ball and took Hayward's middle stump. He played

back but seemed beaten by the pace. 75-8-17. Mackenzie lasted out a bit but after a lofty couple behind mid on he was well caught by Walsh running back at deep mid-off. From the way the ball was hit I thought it was coming into the scoring box but it did not travel. 82-9-4. Four balls later in Whitemarsh's next over an off break hit the top of Holden's leg-stump. 82-10-0. The Services bowler had kept an excellent length and had been backed up by fine fielding and catching.

### AFTER TIFFIN

It was definitely suggested to me during the tiffin interval that the wicket had grown easier during the last half hour and it remained to see how it would play when the effects of the roller had worn off. Capt. Murray and Capt. Whitemarsh opened to Holden at the yard end, and H. Owen Hughes. A single came from the first over. The last ball of the latter's over seemed to me to be a yorker which dropped on Whitemarsh's foot and he was lbw. 2-1-0. Major Rawsthorne filled the vacancy. Two singles and a three came from the next over, as Murray forced the ball very nicely between mid-on and the bowler nearly to the boundary. An over or so later Rawsthorne put a long leg from Holden beautifully to long leg for four and was playing him confidently but to my great disappointment (for he was good to watch) he mis-limed Owen Hughes and was caught and bowled. 16-2-8.

Garthwaite came in and smacked the first ball of Holden's next over to long leg for four, but was magnificently caught by Owen Hughes at second slip, the ball, though shoulder high, being very wide of him and going at a tremendous pace. 21-3-5. Things slowed up very much now but at 28 it looked as if Ride might have caught Murray at mid-on. The chance, if it was a chance, was not an easy one, but off the last ball of the over Owen Hughes bowled Prichard with a yorker or near yorker. 29-4-0. Holden was not bowling well and apart from bowling short sent down far too many on the leg side, one of which Murray sent to long leg for four.

Mackintosh-Walker came in and let out at Owen Hughes's first ball and got it, on the end of his bat slipping it behind the wicket-keeper who at first seemed to think it was going to first slip, but got back in time to take the catch 32-5-0. Murray however saved the hat-trick with a single to the off. At this point Owen Hughes had four wickets for 10 runs. Wauchope skied Holden to backward square leg and Hayward did a splendid sprint for 20 yards but just got the ball, while the batsmen ran two. It looked as if a single was coming as Wauchope seemed quite confident and on-drive. Owen Hughes beautifully took a catch at his toes. 33-6-0. Enjoy your leave in Australia and New Zealand. Hong Kong to Sydney—19 days. FIRST CLASS FARE TO SYDNEY, £76 RETURN. "LONDON (via Australia) from £127.15. (Australian Newspapers on file.)

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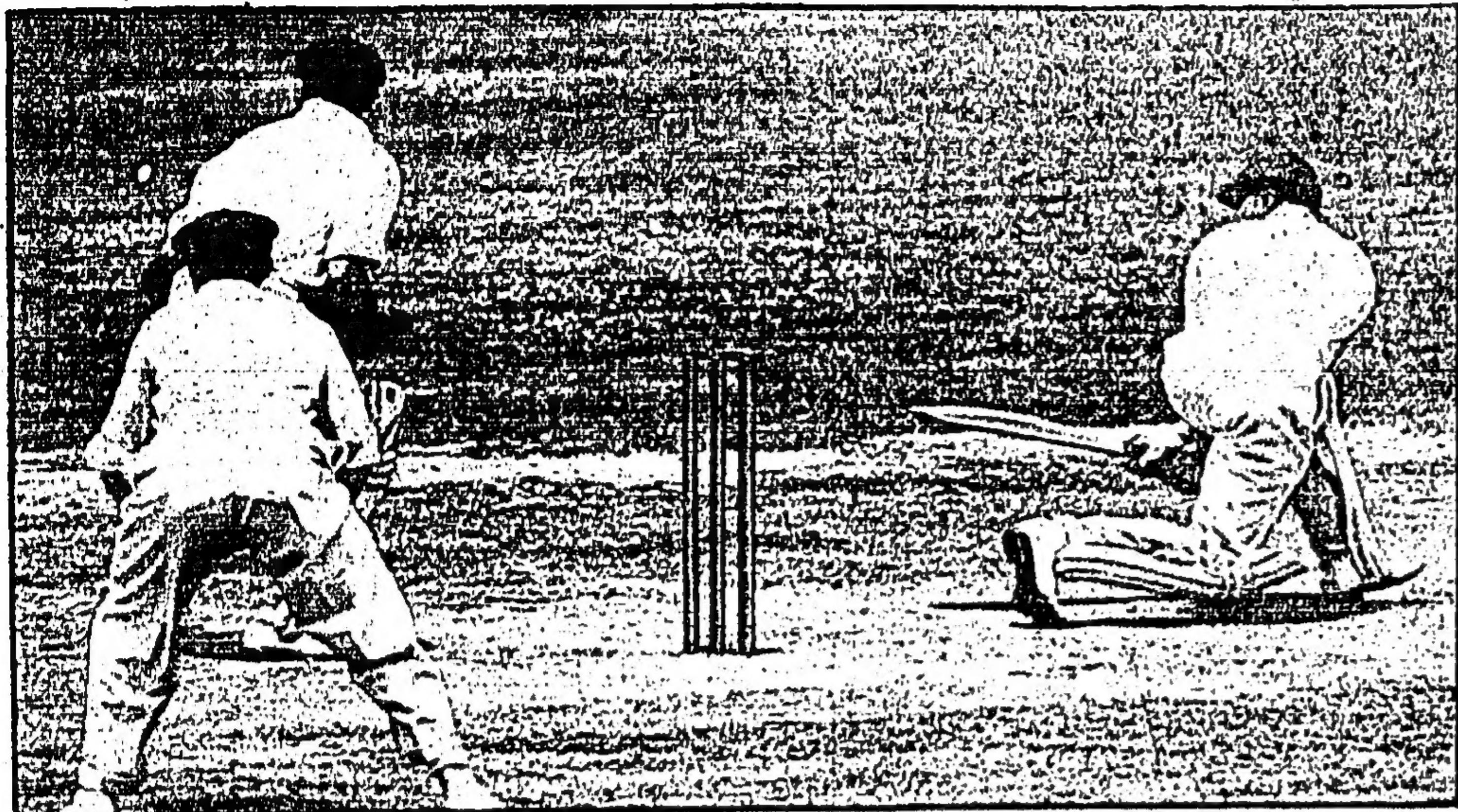


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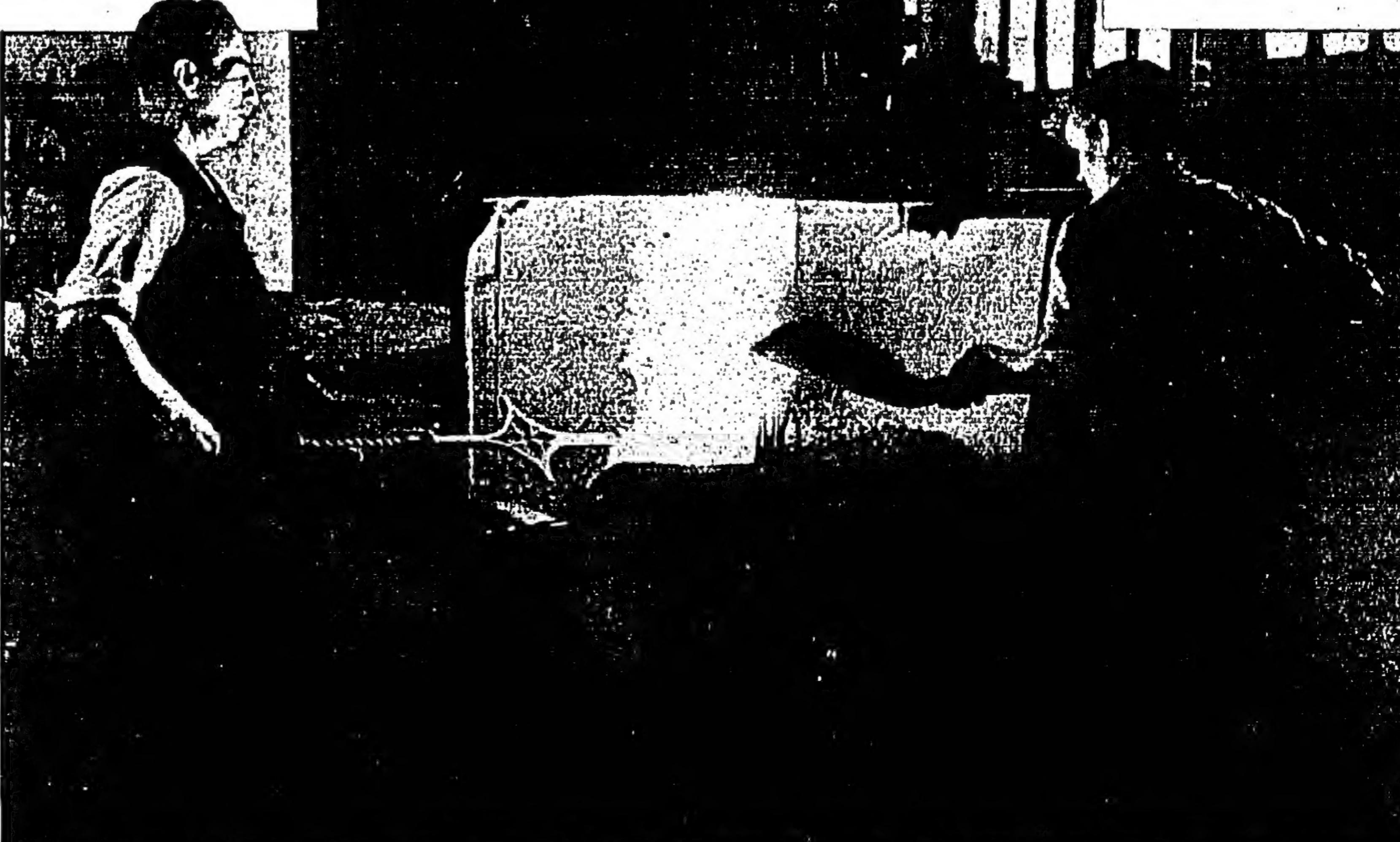
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Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang (left) with Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the Chinese Premier, whom he recently kidnapped. He was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment, but was subsequently pardoned.

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**SILVER MARKET SLUGGISH**  
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London, Feb. 10.  
The persistent inability of silver to rise above the 20d. level on the London market, despite the now generally improved sentiment regarding the forthcoming Indian Budget, is causing some speculation in the City regarding the reason why brokers are most reluctant to express any opinion.

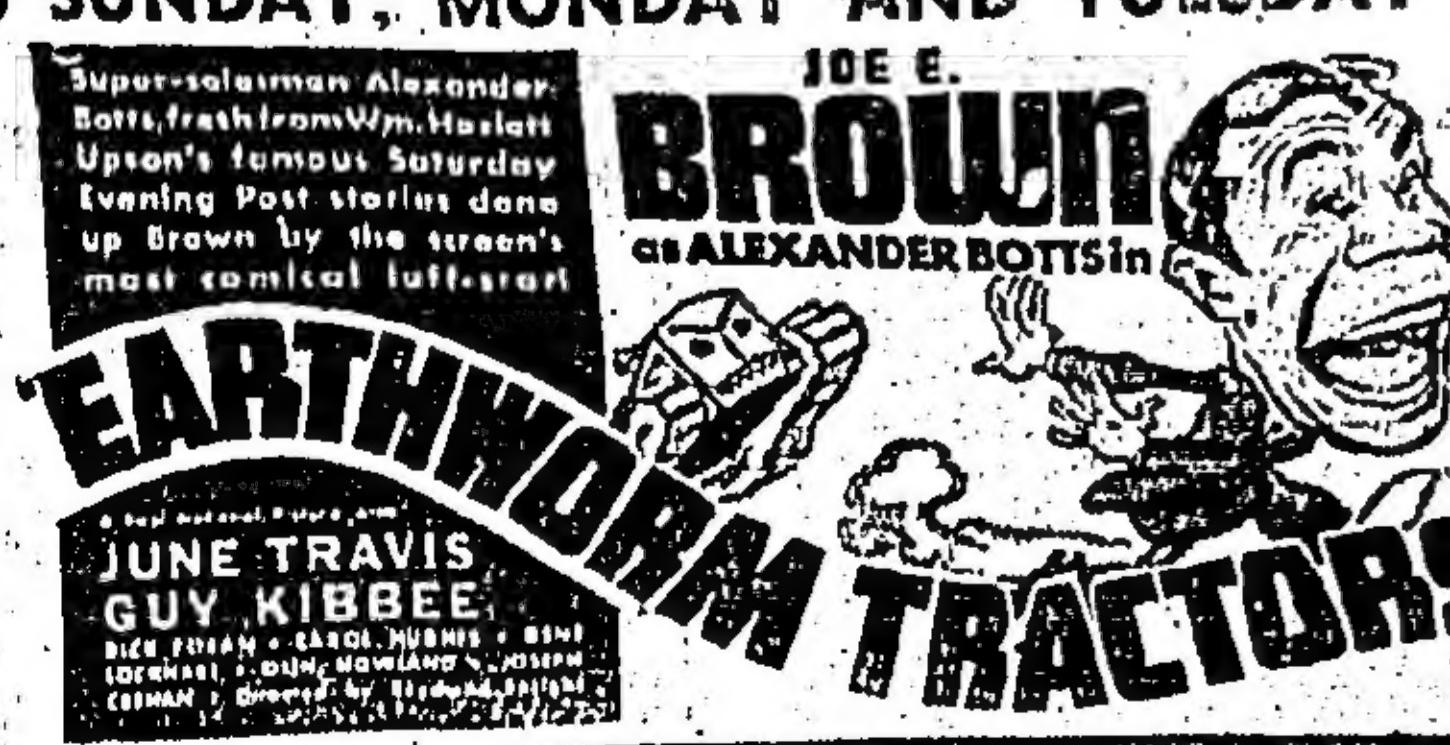
Exhaustive investigations, however, indicate that the position is due to the continued offerings of "cold storage silver," which has long been held by one powerful interest. Opinion is divided regarding the identity of this holder, but the majority incline to the view that he is an industrial magnate who has long been well-known as a champion of the cause of bimetallism but is now retiring.

It is understood that certain interests have orders to sell fairly large quantities of silver on this person's account at 20d., or better, and that considerable stocks from this source still remain for liquidation.—Reuter.

### EPIDEMIC WANING

London, Feb. 10.  
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San Francisco, Feb. 10.  
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A private pilot, named Frank Fuller, has reported by radio that he has located the wreckage of an airliner in San Francisco Bay, five miles east of the airport. Fuller stated that the airliner was almost totally submerged, only a small portion of the fuselage and tail showing. Coastguards have rushed boats to the scene, but it is believed to be a certainty that all on board are dead.

Later, the plane has been brought to a surface, with the bodies of a stewardess and two pilots. The bodies of eight passengers are missing.

The theory is expressed that the pilot might have mistaken the glare of lights on the water for the runway. However, experts believe that it is more likely that the plane sideslipped when preparing to land.—United Press.

### INVESTIGATION STARTED

Washington, Feb. 10.  
Mr. Eugene L. Vidal, of the Bureau of Air Commerce, flatly stated that a preliminary investigation indicated that the San Francisco crash was due neither to man or to mechanical failure. "Reports by our inspectors," he stated, "indicate that the weather was good and that the commerce navigational aids were functioning properly." He said he had ordered Major R. W. Shroder, chief of the airliner inspection service, to leave for San Francisco immediately to head the investigation into the disaster.

Mr. Vidal reported that at the Safety Conference last week it was shown that pilots' errors were the cause of sixteen of the last twenty-six crashes.

A high official of the Bureau of Air Commerce remarked: "Information appears to eliminate weather and navigational errors. The crash presents an entirely different type of problem from those discussed by the Safety Conference, which virtually centred on navigational problems."—United Press.

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